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WASHINGTON (AP) - THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE HAS DECIDED TO STICK BY ITS FINDING OF A ''REASONABLE INFERENCE'' THAT THE LATE PRESIDENT DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER AUTHORIZED A PLOT TO ASSASSINATE CONGOLESE LEADER PATRICE LUMUMBA.

''AFTER REVIEWING THE EVIDENCE IN THE LUMUMBA CASE ONCE AGAIN: WE REMAIN CONVINCED THAT THE LANGUAGE USED IN THE COMMITTEE'S FINDINGS WAS WARRANTED:'' CHAIRMAN FRANK CHURCH: D-IDAHO: AND VICE CHAIRMAN JOHN TOWER: R-TEX.: SAID IN A LETTER TO FORMER NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER GORDON GRAY.

GRAY AND FOUR OTHER FORMER EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS HAD WRITTEN THE COMMITTEE COMPLAINING THAT EISENHOWER HAD BEEN UNFAIRLY LINKED TO THE LUMUMBA ASSASSINATION PLOT ON THE BASIS OF THE TESTIMONY OF ONE MIDDLE LEVEL OFFICIAL. COPIES OF THE CORRESPONDENCE WERE RELEASED SATURDAY BY GRAY.

IN ITS ASSASSINATION REPORT LAST NOVEMBER: THE COMMITTEE STATED THAT ''THE CHAIN OF EVENTS REVEALED BY THE DOCUMENTS AND TESTIMONY IS STRONG ENOUGH TO PERMIT A REASONABLE INFERENCE THAT THE PLOT TO ASSASSINATE LUMUMBA WAS AUTHORIZED BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER.

''NEVERTHELESS: THERE IS ENOUGH COUNTERVAILING TESTIMONY BY EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS AND ENOUGH AMBIGUITY AND LACK OF CLARITY IN THE RECORDS OF HIGH-LEVEL POLICY MEETINGS TO PRECLUDE THE COMMITTEE FROM MAKING A FINDING THAT THE PRESIDENT INTENDED AN ASSASSINATION EFFORT AGAINST LUMUMBA.''

THE COMMITTEE CITED TESTIMONY BY ROBERT H. JOHNSON: A FORMER MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL STAFF: WHO SAID THAT DURING AN AUG. 18: 1960 MEETING HE HEARD EISENHOWER SAY ''SOMETHING - CAN NO LONGER REMEMBER HIS WORDS - THAT CAME ACROSS TO ME AS AN ORDER FOR THE ASSASSINATION OF LUMUMBA.''

IN A NOTORIZED LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE: GRAY: C. DOUGLAS DILLON: THEN ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE: GEN. ANDREW J. GOODPASTER: WHITE HOUSE STAFF SECRETARY: MARION BOGGS: AN NSC STAFF MEMBER: AND JOHN EISENHOWER: THE PRESIDENT'S SON: COMPLAINED ABOUT THE WEIGHT GIVEN JOHNSON'S TESTIMONY IN THE FACE OF THEIR DENIALS THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD EVER AUTHORIZED ASSASSINATION.

''ROBERT JOHNSON WAS NOT AN ADVISER TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND WAS CERTAINLY NOT ONE OF THOSE CLOSEST TO HIM: IN ANY CASE HE HAS HIMSELF EXPRESSED DOUBT REGARDING THE INTERPRETATION OF WHAT HE HEARD:'' THE LETTER SAID.

AT ONE POINT IN HIS TESTIMONY: JOHNSON TOLD THE COMMITTEE: ''ALTHOUGH I WAS CONVINCED AT THE TIME . . . THAT THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT WAS INTENDED AS AN ORDER FOR THE ASSASSINATION OF LUMUMBA: I MUST CONFESS THAT IN THINKING ABOUT THE INCIDENT MORE RECENTLY: I HAVE HAD SOME DOUBTS.''

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Gray's letter also pointed out what it called a significant contrast between the treatment given to Eisenhower and President Kennedy.

In its investigation of the plots to kill Cuba's Fidel Castro it concluded that ''in view of the strained chain of assumptions and the contrary testimony of all the presidential advisers: the men closest to both Eisenhower and Kennedy: the committee makes no finding implicating Presidents who are not able to speak for themselves.''

Gray's letter noted that ''all of the presidential advisers: the men closest to President Eisenhower: similarly gave contrary testimony in the case of the Lumumba allegations.

''The committee: in our judgment: was remiss in failing to point this out: as they did when President Kennedy's name was joined with that of President Eisenhower in the case of allegations regarding Castro:'' the letter said. ''We can only conclude that the committee's work has been compromised by the inclusion of this reference to a reasonable inference.

In their reply: Church and Tower said that ''we have decided that the committee cannot accede to your request for a disavowal . . . we can only assure that the committee was mindful of the considerations you have raised.'' There was no indication that the case had been reviewed by the entire committee.

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NEW YORK, JAN. 15 (AP)--IN A SPEECH NEVER DELIVERED, PRESIDENT EISENHOWER PLANNED TO FACE THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE AND URGE THEM TO COME AND SEE FOR THEMSELVES WHAT AMERICA IS LIKE.

THE SPEECH WAS PREPARED FOR DELIVERY IN LENINGRAD. IT WAS NEVER DELIVERED BECAUSE, AFTER THE U2 SPY PLANE INCIDENT, THE SOVIET INVITATION TO EISENHOWER TO VISIT RUSSIA WAS WITHDRAWN AND HE NEVER WENT TO LENINGRAD.

THE SPEECH, ALONG WITH 29 OTHERS ACTUALLY DELIVERED BY THE OUTGOING PRESIDENT, IS IN A VOLUME ENTITLED "PEACE WITH JUSTICE," TO BE PUBLISHED TOMORROW BY THE COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY PRESS.

DR. GRAYSON KIRK, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY ONCE HEADED BY EISENHOWER, SAYS IN A FOREWORD THE SPEECHES ARE A "RECORD OF THE BELIEFS AND HOPES OF A MAN WHO DESERVES MUCH FROM THE PEOPLE HE HAD SERVED SO WELL."

THE DRAFT OF THE LENINGRAD SPEECH SHOWS EISENHOWER INTENDED TO TELL THE PEOPLE OF THAT CITY HE HAD COME "TO CONVINCE YOU OF AMERICA'S DECENT PURPOSES, AND TO LEARN AND BETTER UNDERSTAND YOUR WAY."

HE ALSO PLANNED TO EXPRESS THE HOPE THAT GREAT NUMBERS OF SOVIET CITIZENS COULD TRAVEL TO THE UNITED STATES AND SEE HOW THIS COUNTRY GROWS AND CHANGES.

"SO SEEING YOU WOULD UNDERSTAND, I THINK, THAT OUR WAY OF LIFE IS NOT DESTINED TO WITHER AND TO BE BURIED IN THE LIMBO OF HISTORY'S FAILURES. YOU WOULD UNDERSTAND, I THINK, THAT THERE IS NO SINGLE INEVITABLE SYSTEM THAT WILL ENVELOP THE EARTH."

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EISENHOWER BUDGET (250)
BY ANTHONY WHITE
LONDON, JAN. 15 (AP)-LONDON NEWSPAPERS TOOK A BACKWARD GLANCE TODAY AT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S EIGHT YEARS IN OFFICE AND JUDGE HIM A TRUE FRIEND OF BRITAIN AND AN EARNEST FIGHTER FOR PEACE.

HISTORY WILL NOT JUDGE HIM A GREAT PRESIDENT, SAID THE INFLUENTIAL SUNDAY TIMES. BUT IT ADDED:

"THERE WILL NOT BE A MAN OR A WOMAN IN THE ENGLISH-SPEAKING WORLD WHO WILL NOT WISH HIM WELL....

"IN HIM WE HAVE FELT THAT WE HAVE A GOOD FRIEND WHO KNEW US WELL, WHO WAS TIED TO US BY STRONG WARTIME BONDS AND WHO WAS ON CLOSER TERMS WITH OUR PRIME MINISTER THAN WITH ANY OTHER WESTERN LEADER."

THE TIMES CONTINUED:

"IN ANY ASSESSMENT OF PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S TENURE IN THE WHITE HOUSE, ALL WHO KNOW HIM--EVEN MR. KHRUSHCHEV--WOULD AGREE THAT HE HAS SOUGHT EARNESTLY TO MAINTAIN PEACE IN THE WORLD. THIS HAS BEEN THE GUIDING THEME OF HIS PRESIDENCY."

THE SUNDAY EXPRESS SAID EISENHOWER "MUST BE AWARE THAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING THAT HIS PRESIDENCY HAS BEEN A FAILURE, THAT DURING IT AMERICA'S PRESTIGE HAS FALLEN.

"BUT HE HAS THIS CONSOLATION: THAT THE VERDICT OF MANY PEOPLE TODAY MAY NOT BE THE VERDICT OF HISTORY."

HISTORY SURELY WILL GRANT THIS SINCERE AND LIKABLE MAN SOME OF THE CREDIT FOR THE PROGRESS HIS COUNTRY HAS MADE IN THE LAST EIGHT YEARS, THE EXPRESS ADDED.

THE SUNDAY TIMES ALSO APPLAUDED THE EFFORTS OF U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN HAY WHITNEY IN STRENGTHENING THE TIES THAT BIND BRITONS AND AMERICANS.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID OF WHITNEY, WHO FLEW HOME YESTERDAY:

"IT WOULD XE HARD TO FIND ANOTHER FOREIGN AMBASSADOR WHO HAS MADE SO MANY FRIENDS IN ALL WALS OF LIFE. HE HAS WITHOUT DOUBT MADE A LARGE PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION TO STRONGER ANGLO-AMERICAN RELATIONS."

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ADVANCE FOR PMS MONDAY, JAN. 9--NOTE DATE
(1,200) EISENHOWER-FOREIGN AFFAIRS
BY LEWIS GULICK
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, JAN. 9 (AP)-DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER'S PROUDEST BOAST AFTER HE LEAVES THE PRESIDENCY MAY BE THAT HE KEPT AMERICA FREE FROM WAR.

THE REST OF HIS FOREIGN AFFAIRS RECORD IS A MIXTURE OF GAINS AND LOSSES WHOSE EXTENT WILL BE UP FOR HISTORICAL JUDGMENT IN YEARS TO COME.

EISENHOWER, A MILITARY HERO FROM THE GREAT CRUSADE OF WORLD WAR II, CAME TO THE WHITE HOUSE IN 1953 WITH A LEGACY FROM PRESIDENT HARRY S. TRUMAN S. TRUMAN OF THE KOREAN WAR AND A BUNDLE OF COLD WAR PROBLEMS.

HE BROUGHT WITH HIM HIS "CRUSADE FOR PEACE", HOPES OF A ROLLBACK OF COMMUNISM AND A FLOURISHING OF THE FREE WORLD WHICH WOULD LEAD TO INTERNATIONAL TRANQUALITY.

HE LEAVES FOR PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY TROUBLES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA, THE CONGO AND CUBA AND CONTINUING DIFFICULTIES WITH THE KREMLIN.

MAJOR ISSUES ON THE EAST-WEST SCENE WHEN EISENHOWER TOOK THE U.S. HELM EIGHT YEARS AGO--DISARMAMENT, BERLIN, RED CHINA--ARE STILL AROUND WITH NO SIGNS OF DISAPPEARING SOON.

THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION EXTENDED AMERICA'S FORMAL ALLIANCE SYSTEM AROUND THE WORLD TO INCLUDE THE MIDDLE EAST AND SOUTHEAST ASIAN AREAS. THE FOCUS OF ECONOMIC AID SWITCHED FROM INDUSTRIAL EUROPE TO THE NEWLY-DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. THE BACKBONE OF U.S. MILITARY POWER SHIFTED FROM BOMBERS TO MISSILES.

SEVERAL EVENTS PLACED EISENHOWER IN A NEW FOREIGN POLICY FRAMEWORK EARLY IN HIS TENURE.

ONE WAS THE VIRTUAL END OF THE MARSHALL PLAN, THE MASSIVE ECONOMIC AID PROGRAM WHICH HELPED WEST EUROPE'S WAR-RAVAGED ECONOMY REVIVE WITH ASTONISHING VITALITY.

ANOTHER WAS THE END OF THE KOREAN WAR AND ITS ENTANGLEMENT OF AMERICAN MEN AND MONEY. THE TRUCE LED TO AN UNEASY PEACE, BUT IT STILL STOPPED THE SHOOTING. ACCOMPLISHED BASICALLY ALONG TERMS THAT HAD BEEN SET DURING THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION, IT WAS EISENHOWER'S FIRST GREAT DRAMATIC MANEUVER AFTER TAKING OFFICE.

STILL ANOTHER WAS THE FADING AWAY OF THE ERA OF SHARP DOMESTIC ATTACK CONCERNING FOREIGN AFFAIRS MATTERS WHICH WAS LED BY THE LATE SEN. JOSEPH R. MCCARTHY, R-WIS.

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THE DEMOCRATS' REGAINING CONTROL OF CONGRESS IN 1954 EASED EISENHOWER'S EMBARRASSMENT BY PUTTING IN INFLUENTIAL CONGRESSIONAL POSITIONS MEN MORE SYMPATHETIC TO EISENHOWER'S INTERNATIONALIST VIEWS AND LESS DISPOSED TO PRESSURE THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

AT THE KREMLIN, THE DEATH OF THE IRON-HANDED DICTATOR JOSEPH STALIN ON MARCH 5, 1953, PAVED THE WAY FOR A NEW AND MORE FLEXIBLE--IF NO LESS DANGEROUS--SOVIET FOREIGN POLICY CARRIED ON EVENTUALLY BY PREMIER NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV.

FROM THE BEGINNING EISENHOWER PLACED FULL TRUST IN HIS SECRETARY OF STATE, JOHN FOSTER DULLES. DULLES BECAME ONE OF THE MOST INFLUENTIAL SECRETARIES OF STATE IN AMERICAN HISTORY. AFTER DULLES DIED IN 1959 EISENHOWER CONTINUED TO HAVE A CORDIAL RELATIONSHIP WITH DULLES' SUCCESSOR, CHRISTIAN A. HERTER. BUT THE RELATIONSHIP WAS NOT AS INTIMATE, AND EISENHOWER TENDED TO CONDUCT MORE OF HIS OWN FOREIGN POLICY DURING THE LAST TWO YEARS.

IN 1954 THE FLAMES OF THE INDO-CHINA WAR ENDED WITH A TRUCE WITH THE COMMUNISTS AND EMERGENCE OF THE SUPPOSEDLY NEUTRA STATES OF LAOS, CAMBODIA AND A DIVIDED VIET NAM. DU LES DEVELOPED THE SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION, AN ALLIANCE OF EIGHT COUNTRIES WITH INTERESTS IN THAT AREA INC UDING THE UNITED STATES AS A BULWARK AGAINST RED EXPA SION THERE.

IN THE MIDDLE EAST, A U.S.-BACKED BAGHDAD PACT WAS SET UP AGAINST SOVIET INCURSIONS IN THAT AREA. IN 1 5 THE ALLIANCE WAS RENAMED CENTO--THE CENTRAL TREATY ORGANIZATION--AFTER IRAQ, FOR WHOSE CAPITAL THE PACT WAS ORIGINALLY NAMED, PULLED OUT TO FOLLOW ITS OWN NEUTRALIST COURSE.

IN 1955 EISENHOWER WON CONGRESSIONAL PASSAGE OF A RESOLUTION APPROVING U.S. DEFENSE OF FORMOSA, NATIONALIST CHINA'S STRONGHOLD, SHOULD COMMUNIST CHINA ATTEMPT TO INVADE IT.

IN 1957 HE SECURED CONGRESS' PASSAGE OF A MIDDLE EAST RESOLUTION DECLARING THAT THE UNITED STATES, UPON REQUEST OF ANY COUNTRY IN THAT AREA, WOULD HELP AGAINST ANY COMMUNIST AGGRESSION. THE FOLLOWING YEAR HE SENT MARINES TO LEBANON UNDER THIS POLICY. HE WITHDREW THEM AFTER ABOUT THREE MONTHS, ACCOMPLISHING WHAT IS WIDELY REGARDED AS A SUCCESSFUL PEACEKEEPING ACTION.

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IN 1956 THE BRAVE UPRISING BY HUNGARIANS BROUGHT TO THE FORE THE REPUBLICANS' 1952 CAMPAIGN TALK ABOUT LIBERATING THE COMMUNIST-ENSLAVED PEOPLES OF EASTERN EUROPE. THE UNITED STATES GAVE NO HELP, FOR FEAR OF PROVOKING WORLD WAR III, BEYOND POLITICAL SUPPORT TO THE REVOLUTIONARIES AT THE UNITED NATIONS AND ADMISSION OF REFUGEES.

AT THE SAME TIME THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ALLIANCE WAS SPLIT OVER THE BRITISH-FRENCH-ISRAELI INVASION OF SUEZ. EISENHOWER AND DULLES CONDEMNED THE ACTION OF THEIR ALLIES AND FORCED THEM TO WITHDRAW. THE BREACH, ESPECIALLY PAINFUL TO EISENHOWER AS A FORMER NATO LEADER, WAS HEALED BY DECEMBER 1957 WHEN EISENHOWER ATTENDED A NATO SUMMIT MEETING IN PARIS WHICH AGREED ON SUPPLYING THE ALLIANCE WITH THE MOST MODERN WEAPONS.

ON THE MAJOR EAST-WEST ISSUES EISENHOWER MADE REPEATED EFFORTS AND MET AS MANY DISAPPOINTMENTS. ONE EXCEPTION: THE BOOST IN EAST-WEST CULTURAL EXCHANGES AFTER KHRUSHCHEV SOFTENED THE IRON CURTAIN.

IN 1954 AND AGAIN IN 1959 HE SENT HIS SECRETARY OF STATE TO FUTILE BIG FOUR TALKS ON THE FUTURE OF GERMANY.

IN 1955 HE HIMSELF WENT TO AN EAST-WEST SUMMIT MEETING AT GENEVA. HE SCORED A PROPAGANDA COUP BY PROPOSING THAT RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES OPEN THEIR SKIES TO EACH OTHER'S AIRPLANES. BUT THE SOVIETS REJECTED THE IDEA, AND GAVE EISENHOWER NO CLUE ABOUT WHAT TERMS THE NEW RUSSIAN LEADERSHIP MIGHT HAVE ABOUT COMING TO TERMS WITH THE WEST.

LENGTHY DISARMAMENT TALKS WERE DISTINGUISHED FOR THEIR PROPAGANDA RATHER THAN THEIR PROGRESS. THE ONLY DISARMEMENT NEGOTIATION WHICH HAS NOT BLOWN UP YET--THE TWO-YEAR-OLD GENEVA PARLEY ON BANNING ATOMIC TESTS--IS MARKING TIME PENDING ONE MORE BIG TRY PROMISED BY KENNEDY BEFORE THE UNITED STATES RESUMES TESTING.

MORE THAN A HUNDRED MEETINGS WITH THE RED CHINESE AT THE AMBASSADORIAL LEVEL HAVE PRODUCED LITTLE COMPROMISE. INSTEAD, PEIPING IS LEADING THE COMMUNIST CAMP IN VILLIFIGATION OF THE FREE WORLD.

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AFTER DULLES DIED, EISENHOWER EMBARKED ON A FINAL VENTURE IN PERSONAL DIPLOMACY WHICH HE REGARDED AS HIS LAST "GREAT CRUSADE" FOR PEACE.

IN 1959-60 HE VISITED EUROPE, ASIA, AFRICA AND LATIN AMERICAN ON TRIPS THAT BROUGHT HIS TOTAL PRESIDENTIAL TRAVELS TO 118,000 MILES.

HE INVITED KHRUSHCHEV TO AMERICA AND AGREED TO VISIT RUSSIA. HE FLEW TO PARIS FOR A FINAL SUMMIT CONFERENCE ON GREAT EAST-WEST ISSUES.

BUT EISENHOWER'S FINAL CRUSADE CAME TO A JARRING HALT WITH THE MAY 1, 1960, CRASH OF AN AMERICAN U-2 SPY PLANE DEEP INSIDE RUSSIA. THE ADMINISTRATION DENIED, THEN ADMITTED THE FLIGHT. EISENHOWER ASSUMED THE RESPONSIBILITY. KHRUSHCHEV TORPEDOED THE SUMMIT CONFERENCE AND SCORNFULLY SHUNNED FURTHER DEALINGS WITH EISENHOWER UNTIL THE END OF HIS TERM.

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GUATEMALA, NOV. 17 (AP)-A MOVE TO DECLARE WAR ON CUBA IN CASE THAT COUNTRY IS FOUND TO BE MEDDLING IN GUATEMALA'S AFFAIRS MAY GO BEFORE THE GUATEMALAN CONGRESS NEXT WEEK.

CONGRESSMAN MANUEL ORELLANA PORTILLA TOLD NEWSMEN TODAY HE WILL PRESENT THE MEASURE IF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY FINDS EVIDENCE OF CUBAN AGGRESSION IN THE FACE OF AN ANTI-GOVERNMENT UPRISING JUST PUT DOWN.

FOREIGN MINISTER JESUS UNDA MURILLO, NOW ILL, SAID HE WILL BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE NEXT CONGRESSIONAL SESSION, NEXT WEEK. HE WILL REPORT ON HIS MINISTRY'S FINDINGS WITH RESPECT TO CUBA.

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BY JOHN SCALI

AUGUSTA, GA., NOV. 17 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HAS RUSHED U.S. NAVY WARSHIPS AND AIR UNITS INTO POSITION TO DEFEND REVEOLT-THREATENED GUATEMALA AND NICARAGUA AGAINST ANY COMMUNIST-LED ATTACK.

THE VACATION WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCED THE EMERGENCY ACTION TODAY IN A CLEAR WARNING TO CUBA'S PRIME MINISTER FIDEL CASTRO TO KEEP HANDS OFF BOTH CENTRAL AMERICAN REPUBLICS.

THE PRESIDENT ACTED AMID MOUNTING TENSION IN THE CARIBBEAN AFTER GUATEMALA AND NICARAGUA FOUGHT OFF ANTI-GOVERNMENT REVOLTS AND CHARGED CASTRO WITH HELPING THE REBELS.

SWIFTLY ANSWERING WRITTEN APPEALS FOR HELP, EISENHOWER ORDERED NAVY FLEET UNITS, INCLUDING AT LEAST ONE AIRCRAFT CARRIER, TO "SEEK OUT AND PREVENT" ANY OUTSIDE INVASION.

"OUR SHIPS ARE NOW ON THE HIGH SEAS," SAID PRESS SECRETARY JAMES G. HAGERTY WHO REPORTED EISENHOWER'S DECISION.

THE PRESIDENT'S SPOKESMAN REFUSED TO IDENTIFY THE FLEET UNITS SENT INTO THE TROUBLE AREA OR TO PINPOINT THEIR EXACT LOCATION.

(IN WASHINGTON, THE NAVY SAID THE CARRIER IS THE SHANGRI-LA WHICH WITH FOUR DESTROYERS FROM MAYPORT, FLA., IS PATROLLING THE CARIBBEAN BETWEEN CUBA AND THE COAST OF CENTRAL AMERICA.)

U.S. WARSHIPS OFTEN CARRY MARINES ABOARD. BUT HAGERTY SAID THE WARSHIPS SENT TO HELP GUATEMALA AND NICARAGUA DID NOT HAVE ANY MARINE INFANTRY UNITS WITH THEM, SO FAR AS HE KNEW.

EISENHOWER PERSONALLY ORDERED THE NAVAL MORE LATE YESTERDAY, HAGERTY SAID, AFTER AN URGENT TELEPHONE CALL FROM SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER IN WASHINGTON.

HERTER ADVISED HIM THAT BOTH GUATEMALA AND NICARAGUA, ALARMED AT THE POSSIBILITY OF MORE ANTI-GOVERNMENT UPRISING, HAD SENT FORMAL, WRITTEN REQUESTS FOR U.S. NAVL ASSISTANCE.

EISENHOWER THEN GAVE HIS INSTRUCTIONS BY PHONE TO DEFENSE SECRETARY THOMAS S. GATES AT THE PENTAGON.

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THE PRESIDENT FOLLOWED THIS UP TODAY BY A CONFERENCE AT HIS AUGUSTA GOLF CLUB VACATION OFFICE WITH HERTER, GATES AND GEN. LYMAN L. LEMNITZER, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.

THIS CONFIDENTIAL CONFERENCE CAME AFTER THE PRESIDENT MET FOR TWO HOURS AND 10 MINUTES WITH HIS TOP-POLICY MAKING NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL.

DIRECTOR ALLEN W. DULLES OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY WAS GBORNSIDU HAVE GIVEN A SECRET REPORT ON THEFWSQQC
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DIRECTOR ALLEN W. DULLES OF TJIDOPORAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY WAS REPORTED TO HAVE GIVEN A SECRET REPORT ON THE CARIBBEAN TENSION AT THIS SESSION.

HAGERTY REPORTED, HOWEVER, THAT THE MAIN BUSINESS BEFORE THE GATHERING OF 14 ADMINISTRATION POLICY MAKERS DEALT WITH OTHER AREAS. HE DID NOT ELABORATE.

AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AFTERWARD, HAGERTY READ A PREPARED STATEMENT WHICH SAID:

"IN RESPONSE TO REQUESTS OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF GUATEMALA AND NICARAGUA, SURFACE AND AIR UNITS OF THE UNITED STATES NAVY ARE IN A POSITION IN WHICH THEY COULD ASSIST THESE GOVERNMENTS, SHOULD IT BECOME NECESSARY, TO SEEK OUT AND PREVENT INTERVENTION ON THE PART OF COMMUNIST-DIRECTED ELEMENTS IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF GUATEMALA AND NICARAGUA THROUGH THE LANDING OF ARMED FORCES OR SUPPLIES FROM ABROAD."

HAGERTY SAID THIS MEANT AMERICAN WARSHIPS AND PLANES HAD ORDERS TO INTERVENE AGAINST ANY ATTACK ON GUATEMALA OR NICARAGUA FROM ANY THIRD COUNTRY, NEAR OR FAR.

THIS MEANT CUBA AS WELL AS SINO-SOVIET BLOC COUNTRIES, HE SAID.

EISENHOWER'S SUDDEN ACTION REFLECTED WORRY THAT CASTRO IS ARMING FANATIC, PRO-COMMUNIST REBEL BANDS IN THE CARIBBEAN IN ORDER TO OVERTHROW NEIGHBORING GOVERNMENTS WHO OPPOSE HIS REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT.

RUSSIA HAS SHIPPED BIG QUANTITIES OF COMMUNIST-MADE WEAPONS TO CASTRO IN THE PAST SIX MONTHS, INCLUDING VAST AMOUNTS OF RIFLES, MACHINE GUNS, TANKS, ARMORED CARS AND OTHER ARMS.

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THE SIZE OF THESE RED SHIPMENTS HAS CONVINCED TOP U.S. OFFICIALS THAT CASTRO INTENDS TO EXPORT SOME SECRETLY FOR ADVENTURING, TROUBLEMAKING PURPOSES.

HAGERTY RULED OUT ANY AMERICAN INTENTION AT THIS TIME TO REINFORCE THE MARINE GARRISON AT THE BIG U.S. NAVY BASE AT GUANTANAMO, IN SOUTHEAST CUBA.

"I THINK YOU WOULD BE GOING FAR AFIELD IF YOU SAID ANYTHING LIKE THAT," HE TOLD AN INQUIRING REPORTER.

HE ALSO BRUSHED ASIDE A QUESTION ABOUT WHETHER THE MOVEMENT OF THE AMERICAN WARSHIPS MEANT THE U.S. SUPPORTS GUATEMALA AND ~~CUBA'S~~ NICARAGUA CHARGES THAT CASTRO ACTIVELY AIDED THE REVOLTS AGAINST THEIR GOVERNMENTS.

HE NOTED ONLY THAT GUATEMALA AND NICARAGUA BOTH INTEND TO LODGE THEIR COMPLAINTS BEFORE THE 21-NATION ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES.

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AUGUSTA--FIRST ADD NIGHT LEAD IKE-WARSHIPS (A13-15AX) X X X AMERICAN STATES.

THE PATTERN OF TODAY'S ACTION APPEARED SIMILAR TO THAT USED IN THE CASE OF THE FORMOSAN AREA FOR THE PAST DECADE.

THERE, SHIPS OF THE 7TH FLEET HAVE BEEN PATROLLING SINCE AUGUST 1950--THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR--TO PREVENT AGGRESSIVE ATTACK ON NATIONALIST CHINA'S FORMOSA.

THE SHANGRI-LA HAS ABOARD, IN ADDITION TO HER NAVY PERSONNEL, ONLY THE NORMAL COMPLEMENT OF ABOUT 90 MARINES FOR SHIP SECURITY GUARD, THE NAVY SAID.

A MARINE OUTFIT WHICH HAS BEEN IN THE CARIBBEAN FOR MONTHS WILL HAVE SHORE LIBERTY THIS WEEKEND AT "REGULAR CARIBBEAN LIBERTY PORTS," A SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE MARINES THEN WILL BOARD THEIR SHIPS AND RETURN TO THE AREA OF VIEQUES, PUERTO RICO, TO CONTINUE TRAINING. THAT FORCE, AMPHIBOUS GROUP 10, ABOARD A CARRIER AND SEVERAL OTHER SHIPS, IS NOT IN THE AREA AFFECTED BY THE NEW MOVE, THE NAVY SAID.

OTHER U. S. FORCES RELATIVELY NEARBY INCLUDE ABOUT A DOZEN SHIPS CURRENTLY IN THE HARBOR AT GUANTANAMO IN CONNECTION WITH NORMAL TRAINING OPERATIONS, THE NAVY SAID. THESE SHIPS INCLUDE EIGHT DESTROYER-TYPE SHIPS, A SUBMARINE, A SEAPLANE TENDER AND A TANKER.

THE SKIPPER OF THE SHANGRI-LA, ASSIGNED TO THE GUATEMALAN-NICARAGUAN PATROL, IS CAPT. FILLMORE B. GILKESON OF (3615 S. OCEAN DRIVE), JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

THE SMALLER VESSELS IN THE GROUP ARE RADAR PICKET DESTROYERS FROM SQUADRON 82, BASED AT MAYPORT. THE COMMANDER OF THE GROUP IS CAPT. J. B. SCHLEY OF SHEPERDSTOWN, W. VA. IN THE SQUADRON ARE THE DESTROYERS W. R. RUSH, HAWKINS, FOX AND FISKE.

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AUGUSTA--SECOND ADD NIGHT LEAD IKE-WARSHIPS (A13-15AX, A55WX) X X X FISKE.

THE NAVY SAID THE SKIPPERS OF THE FIVE DESTROYERS, AND HOME ADDRESSES OF THEIR WIVES, ARE:

THE FISKE, CMDR. CLIFFORD E. HUNTER, 1417 NORTH INGLEWOOD ST., ARLINGTON, VA.

THE HAWKINS, CMDR. SAMUEL LORENZ JR., 3557 WILCOX ST., SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

THE FOX, LT. CMDR. WYATT E. HARPER JR., 92 MARTINS RD., PORTSMOUTH, R.I.

THE BAILEY, CMDR. JOHN A. WAIEGARD, 329 NORTH OXFORD ST., ARLINGTON, VA.

THE RUSH, CMDR. P. H. VINING, 240 CORAL WAY, JACKSONVILLE BEACH, FLA.

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IKE-NIGERIA

AUGUSTA, GA., NOV. 16 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SENT CORDIAL GREETINGS TODAY TO DR. NNAMDI (CQ) AZIKIWE, NEW GOVERNOR GENERAL OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE SAID AZIKIWE'S NEW POST WAS A TRIBUTE TO HIS MANY YEARS OF DEVOTED SERVICE TO THE WELFARE OF AFRICA.

"II KNOW THAT YOUR MANY FRIENDS IN THE UNITED STATES JOIN WITH ME IN EXPRESSING THE HOPE THAT YOUR YEARS IN THIS HIGH OFFICE WILL BE MARKED BY PEACE AND PROSPERITY FOR YOUR PEOPLE AND BY EVER CLOSER RELATIONS BETWEEN NIGERIA AND THE UNITED STATES," THE MESSAGE SAID.

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(150) KHRUSHCHEV - BOAT

WASHINGTON, NOV. 14 (AP)-THE BOAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HAD PLANNED TO PRESENT TO SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV IN MOSCOW LAST SPRING HAS BEEN QUIETLY RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES, STATE DEPARTMENT INFORMANTS SAID TODAY.

THE BOAT WAS SENT TO THE RUSSIAN CAPITAL IN ADVANCE OF THE PRESIDENT'S INTENDED ARRIVAL. WHEN EISENHOWER'S TRIP WAS CANCELED, IT SAT ON THE EMBASSY LAWN FOR SEVERAL MONTHS BEFORE IT MADE THE RETURN VOYAGE EARLY THIS AUTUMN.

SINCE IT BECAME CLEAR EISENHOWER WOULD NOT HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO DELIVER THE BOAT THE WHITE HOUSE AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAVE RECEIVED DOZENS OF LETTERS SUGGESTING HOW TO MAKE USE OF THE BOAT.

THE CRAFT WAS SENT TO ITS MANUFACTURER, THE INDIANA GEAR WORKS, INC., INDIANAPOLIS, IND., WHICH WAS "DELIGHTED" TO GET THE BOAT BACK, DEPARTMENT SOURCES SAID.

THE DEPARTMENT, HOWEVER, KEPT A SOUVENIR: THE SILVER PLAQUE ORIGINALLY MOUNTED ON THE BOAT'S DASHBOARD WITH THE INSCRIPTION "TO NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV FROM DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER."

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DIPLOMATS-ELECTION

WASHINGTON, NOV. 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY INVITED FOREIGN DIPLOMATS--INCLUDING THOSE FROM IRON CURTAIN COUNTTRIES--TO OBSERVE AMERICAN BALLOTING ON ELECTION DAY ANYWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES.

HE OFFERED TO WAIVE TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS ON COMMUNIST DIPLOMATS FOR SUCH ON-THE-SPOT OBSERVATION.

SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER RELAYED THE PRESIDENT'S INVITATION IN A FORMAL LETTER TO ALL AMBASSADORS AND CHIEFS OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS HERE. THERE ARE ABOUT 90.

EISENHOWER EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT LOCAL AUTHORITIES WILL BE GLAD TO COOPERATE AND HELP FOREIGN DIPLOMATS OBSERVE ELECTION DAY ACTIVITIES.

HERTER SAID IN HIS LETTER THAT SOME FOREIGN EMBASSIES IN THE PAST HAD SENT OBSERVERS ON AN INFORMAL BASIS TO WATCH THE AMERICAN ELECTION PROCESS IN ACTION.

IN INVITING ALL EMBASSIES TO DO THE SAME, HERTER SUGGESTED THAT PERHAPS THE REPORTS THEY FILED ON THEIR OBSERVATIONS COULD BE COMPILED AND MADE PUBLIC.

EACH AMBASSADOR AND MINISTER WAS ASKED TO ADVISE HERTER WHETHER HE WOULD ACCEPT THE PRESIDENT'S SUGGESTION.

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UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., SATURDAY, OCT. 8 (AP)-DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID EARLY TODAY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HAS INVITED DELEGATES FROM NEW U.N. MEMBER COUNTRIES TO MEET WITH HIM IN WASHINGTON SOON.

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UNITED NATIONS--FIRST ADD NEW MEMBERS (A9) (WHICH BY WILLIAM N. OATIS) X X X SOON.

THEY SAID THAT HE WOULD SEND A PLANE TO NEW YORK LATE NEXT WEEK TO FLY THE DELEGATES TO WASHINGTON FOR A LUNCHEON AND BRING THEM BACK THE SAME DAY.

ONE REPORT WAS THAT THE DEFINITE DAY HAD NOT YET BEEN SET. ANOTHER WAS THAT THE AFFAIR HAD BEEN ARRANGED FOR FRIDAY.

SEVENTEEN NEWLY INDEPENDENT COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO THE UNITED NATIONS SINCE SEPT. 20. SIXTEEN OF THEM ARE AFRICAN AND THE OTHER IS CYPRUS.

THE AFRICAN COUNTRIES ARE: CAMEROON, CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC, CHAD, THE FORMER FRENCH CONGO, THE FORMER BELGIAN CONGO, DAHOMEY, GABON, IVORY COAST, MALAGASY REPUBLIC, MALI, NIGER, NIGERIA, SENEGAL, SOMALIA, TOGO AND UPPER VOLTA.

SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER HAD THE DELEGATIONS OF 13 OF THE NEW MEMBERS TO LUNCH AT HIS NEW YORK HOTEL NEARLY TWO WEEKS AGO. THEY INCLUDED ALL THE NEW MEMBERS THAT HAD BEEN ADMITTED UP TO THAT TIME EXCEPT THE FORMER BELGIAN CONGO, WHICH HAS NOT YET BEEN SEATED IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY BECAUSE THERE ARE TWO RIVAL DELEGATIONS, AND MALI AND SENEGAL WHICH RECENTLY HAD SPLIT UP THEIR MALI FEDERATION.

PRESUMABLY THE PRESIDENT ALSO WILL LEAVE OUT THE FORMER BELGIAN CONGO, SINCE THE DELEGATION CONFLICT HAS NOT YET BEEN RESOLVED.

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(200) IKE-NIGERIA

WASHINGTON, OCT. 8 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER CONFERRED FOR AN HOUR TODAY WITH THE PRIME MINISTER OF NIGERIA AND WAS REPORTED CONSIDERING AN INVITATION TO VISIT THE NEW REPUBLIC.

SIR ABUBAKAR TAFAWA BALEWA, HEAD OF THE NEW STATE, TOLD NEWSMEN AFTER THE WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE HE HAD INVITED THE PRESIDENT TO VISIT HIS COUNTRY. HE SAID EISENHOWER'S RESPONSE "INDICATES IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE. I HOLD SOME HOPE." HE DID NOT SAY WHEN THE VISIT MIGHT BE MADE.

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID HE ASKED EISENHOWER MANY QUESTIONS AND WAS "MOST HAPPY WITH THE FRANK, HONEST ANSWERS." HE DECLINED TO DISCUSS THE NATURE OF THE CONSERVATION.

BALEWA SAID HE LONG HAD WANTED TO MEET THE PRESIDENT BECAUSE HE CONSIDERS HIM "ONE OF THE VERY GREAT PEOPLE WHO LIBERATED THE WORLD FROM THE DISASTER OF THE LAST WAR."

ATTENDING THE CONFERENCE WERE DOUGLAS DILLON, UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE; RAYMOND HARE, DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE; JOSEPH SATTERTHWAITE, ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR AFRICAN AFFAIRS; JOSEPH PALMER, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO NIGERIA; ZANNA BUKAR DIPCHARIMA, NIGERIAN MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY, AND T. O. S. BENSON, NIGERIAN MINISTER OF INFORMATION.

THE MEETING WAS ONE OF A SERIES THE PRESIDENT HAS BEEN HOLDING WITH HEADS OF NEW GOVERNMENTS RECENTLY ADMITTED TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

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(220) PRECEDE UNITED NATIONS

WASHINGTON, OCT. 8 (AP)-LEADERS OF 16, AND POSSIBLY 17 NEW REPUBLICS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO MEET WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AT THE WHITE HOUSE NEXT FRIDAY.

A WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY SAID INVITATIONS TO THE CONFERENCE, SCHEDULED FOR 10:30 A.M., WILL BE SENT TO THE HEADS OF UNITED NATIONS DELEGATIONS FROM NEW COUNTRIES RECENTLY ADMITTED TO THE U.N.

THE MEETING WILL BE HELD ON THE PRESIDENT'S 70TH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY AND WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE. IT IS EXPECTED THAT ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE TO BRING THE LEADERS FROM NEW YORK IN A GROUP, ALTHOUGH A WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN SAID TRANSPORTATION PLANS HAVE NOT BEEN ANNOUNCED. REPORTS IN NEW YORK SAID EISENHOWER MAY SEND A PLANE TO BRING THE GUESTS TO WASHINGTON.

THE NEW NATIONS, ALL BUT ONE OF THEM IN AFRICA, INVITED TO SEND THEIR REPRESENTATIVES ARE: SENEGAL, MALI, THE IVORY COAST, MALAGASY, NIGER, UPPER VOLTA, DAHOMEY, CAMEROON, THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC, CHAD, THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (FORMERLY FRENCH), GABON, SOMALIA, NIGERIA, TOGO, AND CYPRUS. CYPRUS IS THE LONE NON-AFRICAN NATION ON THE LIST.

IF ITS APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE U.N. HAS BEEN APPROVED BY NEXT FRIDAY, THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (FORMERLY BELGIAN) ALSO WILL BE INVITED TO SEND A REPRESENTATIVE.

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EISENHOWER-SOUTH AFRICA

WASHINGTON, OCT. 6 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TOLD A NEW SOUTH AFRICAN MINISTER TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES AND ~~REPUBLIC~~ UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA HAVE A COMMON INTEREST IN PRESERVING PEACE AND OPPOSING COMMUNISM.

HIS REMARKS WERE MADE IN ACCEPTING THE CREDENTIALS OF WILLEM (CQ) C. NAUDE AS SOUTH AFRICAN AMBASSADOR SUCCEEDING WENTZEL CHRISTOFFEL DU PLESSIS.

THE PRESIDENT AND NAUDE EXCHANGED MUTUAL ASSURANCES OF CONTINUED CORDIAL RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS.

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WASHINGTON, OCT. 3 (AP)-THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT (ABOUT 800) OF IDENTICAL BUT INDIVIDUAL REPLIES BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TO THE COMMUNICATION OF SEPT. 29 RECEIVED FROM PRESIDENT NKRUMAH OF GHANA, PRESIDENT SUKARNO OF INDONESIA, PRESIDENT NASSER OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, PREIDENT TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA AND PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA:

"I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR LETTER OF SEPT. 29, INFORMING ME OF YOUR INTENTION TO SUBMIT TO THE CURRENT SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A MEETING BETWEEN THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS OF THE U.S.S.R. AND MYSELF. I ASSURE YOU AGAIN THAT I SHARE THE CONCERN EXPRESSED IN THIS COMMUNICATION OVER THE PRESENT STATE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND I UNDERSTAND AND SYMPATHIZE WITH THE MOTIVE WHICH LED YOU TO PROPOSE THIS STEP.

"AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES I HAVE SOUGHT ON EVERY OCCASION TO EXPLORE TO THE FULL ANY POSSIBILITY FOR THE RESOLUTION OF OUT-STANDING INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS BY NEGOTIATION.

FOLLOWING THE REFUSAL LAST MAY OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO PAR-TICIPATE IN THE LONG-AWAITED SUMMIT CONFERENCE WHICH WAS TO DEAL WITH CERTAIN OF THESE QUESTIONS, ESPECIALLY DISARMAMENT AND PROBLEMS ARISING OUT OF THE WAR, THE PRESIDENT OF FRANCE, THE PRIME MINISTER OF THE UNITED KINGDOM AND I ISSUED A DECLARATION WHICH STATED: "THEY REMAIN UNSHAKEN IN THEIR CONVICTION THAT ALL OUTSTANDING INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS SHOULD NOT BE SETTLED BY THREAT OR THE USE OF FORCE BUT BY PEACEFUL MEANS THROUGH NEGOTIATION. THEY THEMSELVES REMAIN READY TO TAKE PART IN SUCH NEGOTIATIONS AT ANY SUITABLE TIME IN THE FUTURE."

SPEAKING FOR THE UNITED STATES THIS STATEMENT STILL HOLDS GOOD.

I HAVE AT NO TIME UTILIZED ANY THREATS WHATSOEVER WITH REFERENCE TO ANY INTERNATIONAL QUESTION. THIS IS, I AM SURE YOU WILL AGREE, A MATTER OF HISTORICAL RECORD.

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE SOVIET UNION FAR FROM FOLLOWING A COMPARABLE POLICY OF RESTRAINT APPEARS TO HAVE UNDERTAKEN WITH DELIBERATE INTENT A POLICY OF INCREASING TENSION THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND IN PARTICULAR OF DAMAGING RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES.

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INSTEAD OF AVOIDING THREAT OF THE USE OF FORCE, THE SOVIET GOVERN-MENT HAS THREATENED ROCKET RETALIATION AGAINST MANY MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES ON THE PRETEXT OF CON-TRIVED AND IMAGINARY INTENTIONS ON THE PART OF THESE COUNTRIES. WHILE THESE THREATS HAVE NECESSARILY ONLY STRENGTHENED OUR RESOLVE TO MAINTAIN OUR READINESS TO DETER AND, IF NECESSARY, TO RESIST ANY AGGRESSION THEY HAVE NEVERTHELESS CAUSED UNEASINESS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS REFUSED ANY THOUGHT OF AN IMPARTIAL INTERNATIONAL BODY TO INVESTIGATE THE SHOOTING DOWN ON JULY 1 OF AN AIRCRAFT OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE, AND IS STILL HOLDING INCOMMUNICADO TWO MEMBERS OF ITS CREW.

THE SOVIETS HAVE UNILATERALLY DISRUPTED THE 10 NATIONS DISARMAMENT TALKS IN GENEVA WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE THAT THE WESTERN POWERS THERE REPRESENTED WERE ABOUT TO SUBMIT NEW PROPOSALS WHICH TOOK INTO ACCOUNT THOSE MADE EARLIER BY THE SOVIET UNION.

I BELIEVE THAT A COMPARISON OF THE INTERNATIONAL BEHAVIOR OF THE PARTICIPANTS OF THE PARIS MEETING SINCE ITS COLLAPSE DEMONSTRATES WHERE THE RESPONSIBILITY LIES FOR THE INCREASE OF INTERNATIONAL TEN-SION AND THE FAILURE TO MAKE ANY PROGRESS IN THE SOLUTION OF OUT-STANDING PROBLEMS.

I REITERATE WHAT I SAID IN MY SPEECH BEFORE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON SEPT. 22: THE UNITED STATES IS ALWAYS READY TO UNDERTAKE SERIOUS NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER INTERESTED COUNTRIES ON ANY UNRESOLVED INTERNATIONAL QUESTION, AND ESPECIALLY IN THE FIELD OF DISARMAMENT. I ALSO POINTED OUT THAT THERE ARE NEEDS FOR GREAT CONSTRUCTIVE ACTION, FOR WHICH I HAVE MADE PROPOSALS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, THAT ARE PRIMARY IN THEIR IMPORTANCE TO THE PEACE AND PROGRESS OF MAJOR AREAS OF THE WORLD. HOWEVER, THE CHIEF PROBLEMS IN THE WORLD TODAY ARE NOT DUE TO DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE UNITED STATES ALONE AND THEREFORE ARE NOT POSSIBLE OF SOLUTION ON A BILATERAL BASIS.

THE QUESTIONS WHICH ARE DISRUPTING THE WORLD AT THE PRESENT TIME ARE OF IMMEDIATE AND VITAL CONCERN TO OTHER NATIONS AS WELL. THE IMPORTANCE OF THESE MATTERS IS SUCH AS TO GO BEYOND PERSONAL OR OFFICIAL RELATIONS BETWEEN ANY TWO INDIVIDUALS TO IMPEDE THEIR SOLUTION, AND I HAVE MANY TIMES PERSONALLY PLEDGED MYSELF, REGARDLESS OF ANY KIND OF PERSONAL CONSIDERATION, TO MEET WITH ANYONE AT ANY TIME IF THERE IS ANY SERIOUS PROMISE OF PRODUCTIVE RESULTS. THERE IS NOTHING IN THE WORDS OF ACTIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SOVIET UNION WHICH GIVES ME ANY REASON TO BELIEVE THAT THE MEETING YOU SUGGEST WILL HOLD ANY SUCH PROMISE. I WOULD NOT WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN A MERE GESTURE WHICH, IN PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES, MIGHT CONVEY A THOROUGHLY MISLEADING AND UNFORTUNATE IMPRESSION TO THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD.

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IF THE SOVIET UNION SERIOUSLY DESIRES A REDUCTION IN TENSIONS IT CAN READILY PAVE THE WAY FOR USEFUL NEGOTIATIONS BY ACTIONS IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND ELSEWHERE. IF SOVIET REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD WISH TO DISCUSS CONCRETE MEASURES TO REDUCE TENSIONS MY REPRESENTA-TIVES, INCLUDING THE SECRETARY OF STATE, ARE ALWAYS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PURPOSE. SHOULD SUCH EXPLORATORY EXPRESSIONS REVEAL THAT THE SOVIET UNION IS PREPARED TO RETURN TO THE PATH OF PEACEFUL NEGOTIATION WITH SOME PROSPECTS OF FRUITFUL RESULTS THEN I PERSONALLY WOULD BE PREPARED TO MEET AND NEGOTIATE WITH THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT AND WITH THE HEADS OF OTHER GOVERNMENTS AS THEIR INTERESTS WERE INVOLVED.

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DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

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WASHINGTON, OCT. 2 (AP)-THIS IS THE WAY IN WHICH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S REPLY TO FIVE ASIAN-AFRICAN NEUTRAL LEADERS CAME INTO BEING TODAY AS EXPLAINED BY PRESS SECRETARY JAMES HAGERTY:

THE CONTENTS OF THE LETTER WERE DISCUSSED AT AN 80-MINUTE MEETING BETWEEN EISENHOWER, BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN AND AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT MENZIES.

THE FINAL DRAFT WAS ROUGHED OUT BY EISENHOWER AND SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN HERTER IN ANOTHER 80-MINUTE SESSION WHICH FOLLOWED THE FIRST. UNDERSECRETATIES OF STATE DOUGLAS DILLON AND LIVINGSTON T. MERCHANT SAT IN ON THIS WITH TOP U. N. ADVISERS, CHARLES E. BOHLEN AND FRANCIS WILCOX AND FOY KOHLER, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EUROPEAN AFFAIRS.

KOHLER AND BOHLEN REMAINED AT THE WHITE HOUSE WITH HAGERTY AND BRIG. GEN. ANDREW J. GOODPASTER, PRESIDENTIAL AIDE, FOR A POLISHED FINAL VERSION OF THE DRAFT.

EISENHOWER APPROVED THE FINAL WORDING AT 3 P.M. EDT.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT THEN RUSHED THE TEXT TO THE U. S. DELEGATION AT THE UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK WHERE IDENTICAL BUT INDIVIDUAL REPLIES WERE MADE FOR THE FIVE NEUTRAL LEADERS.

AT 7 P.M. EDT ONE HOUR BEFORE RELEASE TO THE PRESS THE LETTERS WERE DELIVERED TO PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA, PRESIDENT NKRUMAH OF GHANA, PRESIDENT SUKARNO OF INDONESIA, PRESIDENT NASSER OF THE U.A.R. AND PRESIDENT TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA.

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WASHINGTON, NOV. 28 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY TOLD 20 VISITING MEXICAN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS THAT VISITS LIKE THEIRS STRENGTHEN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS.

HE ALSO TOLD THEM HE WAS PLEASED THEY HAD AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PERSON-TO-PERSON TALKS WITH THEIR U. S. COLLEAGUES AND A CHANCE TO KNOW THE U. S. SYSTEMS OF LAW ENFORCEMENTS.

ALFONSO SOLORZANO-GUTIERREZ, PRIVATE SECRETARY TO THE CHIEF GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL IN MEXICO CITY, TOLD REPORTERS OF THE VISIT WITH THE PRESIDENT THIS MORNING.

"WE CONSIDER THE PRESIDENT A GREAT FRIEND OF OUR COUNTRY," HE SAID.

THE GROUP POSED FOR PICTURES WITH THE PRESIDENT OUTSIDE HIS OFFICE AND THEN TOURED THE WHITE HOUSE.

THE MEXICANS HAVE BEEN IN THE UNITED STATES FOR SEVERAL WEEKS AT THE INVITATION OF THE U. S. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION INSPECTING IMMIGRATION PROCEDURES, CUSTOMS SYSTEMS AND POLICE INVESTIGATION WORK. THEY WILL RETURN TO MEXICO WEDNESDAY.

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BULLETIN

SECOND LEAD IKE-MAC

WASHINGTON, OCT. 2 (AP)-THE WHITE HOUSE SAID TODAY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S CONDITIONS FOR A MEETING WITH SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV STAND UNCHANGED.

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BULLETIN MATTER

WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD SECOND LEAD IKE-MAC X X X UNCHANGED.

THAT WORD WAS GIVEN NEWSMEN AFTER EISENHOWER MET FOR 80 MINUTES WITH BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN AND AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

MACMILLAN DELAYED HIS RETURN TO U.N. HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK FOR AN HOUR OR TWO THIS AFTERNOON. IT HAD BEEN SCHEDULED FOR 3:00 P.M. EDT.

THIS ALLOWED TIME FOR ADDITIONAL TALKS BETWEEN SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER AND BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER LORD HOME, AS WELL AS BETWEEN MACMILLAN AND MENZIES.

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WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY, REPORTING TO NEWSMEN AFTER THE SESSION IN EISENHOWER'S OFFICE, WAS ASKED TO DESCRIBE EISENHOWER'S ATTITUDE TODAY ON A MEETING WITH KHRUSHCHEV.

"I THINK YOU KNOW THE AMERICAN POSITION," HAGERTY SAID. "IT HAS BEEN OUTLINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND OTHER SPOKESMEN. I HAVE NOTHING TO ADD TO THAT."

IN RESPONSE TO FURTHER QUESTIONS, HOWEVER, HAGERTY SAID THE AMERICAN POSITION IS NOT UNDER REVIEW. AND HE SAID THAT A CHANGE IN THE U.S. POSITION IS NOT BEING CONSIDERED.

WHEN ASKED SPECIFICALLY WHERE THE U.S. ATTITUDE HAD BEEN AFFECTED BY THE APPEAL AT NEW YORK OF FIVE NEUTRAL LEADERS FOR AN EISENHOWER-KHRUSHCHEV MEETING, HAGERTY SAID "YOU KNOW THE AMERICAN POSITION."

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THE PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC CONDITION EISENHOWER HAS STATED IS THAT KHRUSHCHEV WOULD HAVE TO RELEASE TWO U.S. AIRMEN FROM THE CREW OF AN RB47 WHICH THE UNITED STATES HAS SAID THE SOVIET UNION SHOT DOWN JULY 1 OVER INTERNATIONAL WATERS.

KHRUSHCHEV SAID IN NEW YORK LAST NIGHT THAT HE WOULD NOT RELEASE THE FLIERS. HE SAID ALSO EISENHOWER SHOULD APOLOGIZE FOR U2 SPY FLIGHTS OVER RUSSIA.

A FORMAL STATEMENT ISSUED BY HAGERTY AND MACMILLAN'S INFORMATION OFFICER, JOHN RUSSELL, PUT THE EMPHASIS ON DISARMAMENT. IT EXPRESSED HOPE "THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS WILL NOW BE ABLE TO ACHIEVE REAL PROGRESS ON THE PROBLEMS CONFRONTING IT, NOTABLY DISARMAMENT."

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THE STATEMENT DISCLOSED THAT HERTER AND HOME WOULD MEET AT THE BRITISH EMBASSY AT 2:30 P.M. (EDT) TO CONTINUE DISCUSSION OF SOME POINTS RAISED THIS MORNING AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

MACMILLAN TOLD, ETC., 2ND GRAF FIRST LEAD AP16-17

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WASHINGTON--SECOND ADD SECOND LEAD IKE-MAC (A20-21) XXX WHITE HOUSE.

MENZIES IS SCHEDULED TO ADDRESS THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON AND THE WORDING OF THE U.S.-BRITISH STATEMENT ISSUED AFTER THIS MORNING'S WHITE HOUSE TALK PUT A HEAVY EMPHASIS ON MENZIES' PRESENCE. THIS INDICATED THAT HE WILL BE THE THIRD MAJOR WESTERN SPOKESMAN.

EISENHOWER LED OFF THE WESTERN OPERATION AT THE OPENING OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY DEBATE SEPT. 22. MACMILLAN FOLLOWED HIM LAST WEEK AS CHIEF WESTERN SPOKESMAN.

FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE STATEMENT ISSUED BY HAGERTY AND JOHN RUSSELL:

"THE PRIME MINISTER OF AUSTRALIA MET FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF AT THE WHITE HOUSE THIS MORNING WITH THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE PRIME MINISTER OF GREAT BRITAIN. THEY CONTINUED THE DISCUSSION OF CURRENT PROBLEMS AT THE UNITED NATIONS WHICH THE PRESIDENT AND MR. MACMILLAN STARTED IN NEW YORK ON TUESDAY LAST. THEY ADJOURNED THEIR MEETING AT 10:50 A.M. EDT. (SINCE THE MEETING BEGAN A FEW MINUTES AFTER 9:30 THE OFFICIAL ESTIMATE OF ONE AND ONE HALF HOURS DURATION WAS APPROXIMATE RATHER THAN PRECISE.)

"ALL THREE WERE AGREED IN THE HOPE THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WILL NOW BE ABLE TO ACHIEVE REAL PROGRESS ON THE PROBLEMS CONFRONTING IT, NOTABLY THAT OF DISARMAMENT.

"THE UNITED STATES AND BRITISH SECRETARIES OF STATE PLAN TO MEET AGAIN THIS AFTERNOON AT THE BRITISH EMBASSY AT 2:30 TO CARRY FORWARD THE REVIEW OF CERTAIN OF THE POINTS UNDER DISCUSSION THIS MORNING."

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HAGERTY SAID THERE WAS NO DISCUSSION OF MATTERS OUTSIDE THE U.N. HE SAID IT WAS FAIR TO ASSUME THAT THE FIVE-POWER NEUTRALIST PROPOSAL FOR AN EISENHOWER-KHRUSHCHEV MEETING WAS DISCUSSED. THAT, HE TOLD A QUESTIONER, WOULD SEEM TO COVER OTHER MATTERS SUCH AS KHRUSHCHEV'S ATTITUDE TOWARD A MEETING.

ASKED WHAT EISENHOWER THOUGHT OF KHRUSHCHEV'S LATEST EXPLOSION IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY YESTERDAY, HAGERTY REPLIED: "TYPICAL."

ASKED WHAT CONDITIONS OTHER THAN RELEASE OF THE RB47 AIRMEN EISENHOWER MIGHT HAVE IN MIND BEFORE AGREEING TO MEET WITH KHRUSHCHEV, HAGERTY SAID HE MIGHT HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY ON THE GENERAL SITUATION LATER IN THE DAY.

AFTER MACMILLAN AND MENZIES LEFT WITH THEIR ADVISERS, EISENHOWER CONTINUED DISCUSSION WITH HERTER AND WITH A GROUP OF STATE DEPARTMENT AIDES. THESE INCLUDED UNDER SECRETARY DOUGLAS DILLON, UNDER SECRETARY LIVINGSTON T. MERCHANT, SOVIET EXPERT CHARLES E. BOHLEN, AND FRANCIS O. WILCOX, AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND UNITED NATIONS EXPERT.

MACMILLAN TOLD, ETC., 2ND GRAF SECOND LEAD (AP16-17)

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BULLETIN

FIRST LEAD IKE-MAC

WASHINGTON, OCT. 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HELD A 1 HOUR 40 MINUTE SESSION WITH BRITISH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN AND AUSTRALIA'S PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES TODAY ON STRATEGY TO COPE WITH SOVIET PRESSURE AT THE UNITED NATIONS.

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BULLETIN MATTER

WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD FIRST LEAD IKE-MAC XXX UNITED NATIONS.

MACMILLAN TOLD NEWSMEN AS HE LEFT THE WHITE HOUSE AT 11:00 A.M. EST THAT SUCH MEETINGS "ALWAYS WERE GOOD."

"WE HAD A VERY, VERY INTERESTING MEETING," MENZIES COMMENTED. "WE ARE ALL OLD FRIENDS."

HE SAID THE BREVITY OF THE SESSION SIGNIFIED "EVERYBODY WAS IN A GOOD TEMPER."

THE MEETING, ETC., 2ND GRAF AP9-10

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BULLETIN

IKE-MAC

WASHINGTON, OCT. 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN OF BRITAIN CONFERRED TODAY ON THE STRATEGY THEY SHOULD FOLLOW IN DEALING WITH RUSSIA'S ANTI-WESTERN DRIVE AND NEUTRALIST PRESSURES ON THE UNITED STATES IN THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING.

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BULLETIN MATTER

WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD IKE-MAC X X X MEETING.

THE MEETING OF THE WESTERN LEADERS BEGAN AT THE WHITE HOUSE SHORTLY AFTER 9:30 A.M.

MACMILLAN, WHO FLEW DOWN FROM NEW YORK YESTERDAY, ARRIVED FOR THE CONFERENCE ABOUT SEVEN MINUTES LATE.

HE WAS ACCOMPANIED INTO EISENHOWER'S OFFICE BY HIS FOREIGN MINISTER, LORD HOME.

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U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER WHO HAD HELD A PRELIMINARY POLICY TALK WITH MACMILLAN LAST NIGHT AT THE AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY, WAS ALREADY ON HAND.

PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA AND HIS AMBASSADOR, HOWARD BEALE, DROVE UP TO THE EXECUTIVE MANSION ON THE DOT OF 9:30, THE HOUR SCHEDULED FOR THE CONFERENCE.

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WASHINGTON--INSERT IKE-MAC AFTER 6TH GRAF STARTING: PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES ETC. X X X THE CONFERENCE.

THE ONLY COMMENT VOICED BY ANY OF THE ARRIVALS CAME FROM MENZIES WHO REMARKED, WHEN BESIEGED BY PHOTOGRAPHERS:

"MUST BE SOMETHING GOING ON."

THIS BIT OF UNDERSTATEMENT APPEARED TO STRIKE BYSTANDERS AS EXTREMELY FUNNY.

MACMILLAN AND MENZIES ETC. 7TH GRAF

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THE AP

MACMILLAN AND MENZIES WERE SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO NEW YORK THIS AFTERNOON.

MENZIES WAS AN ADDED STARTER AT THE HURRY-UP STRATEGY MEETING WHICH WAS WORKED OUT FOR EISENHOWER AND THE BRITISH PRIME MINISTER ABOUT THREE DAYS AGO.

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TWO MAJOR PROBLEMS WERE REPORTED UP FOR DISCUSSION:

THE PRIMARY AND URGENT ISSUE WAS HOW TO DEAL WITH THE PROPOSAL MADE BY FIVE AFRO-ASIAN LEADERS, INCLUDING PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA, FOR A MEETING BETWEEN EISENHOWER AND SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV.

EISENHOWER HAS BEEN OPPOSED TO ANY SUCH MEETING UNLESS KHRUSHCHEV CHANGES HIS ATTITUDE BY INDICATING A WILLINGNESS TO RELAX TENSIONS AND BY RELEASING TWO U.S. AIRMEN HELD IN THE SOVIET UNION.

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Macmillan

AP13WX

U R G E N T

WASHINGTON--SECOND ADD IKE-MAC X X X SOVIET UNION.

RELATED TO THIS IS THE BROADER PROBLEM OF THE ANTI-WESTERN DRIVE BEING CONDUCTED BY KHRUSHCHEV IN THE UNITED NATIONS WITH UNPRECEDENTED DISPLAYS OF TEMPER, THREATS, AND WHAT WESTERN DIPLOMATS CALL BAD MANNERS.

AT AN IMPROMPTU NEWS CONFERENCE IN GLEN COVE, LONG ISLAND, LAST NIGHT, KHRUSHCHEV INDICATED HE WOULD NOT RELEASE THE TWO SURVIVORS OF A DOWNED AMERICAN RECONNAISSANCE PLANE AND WOULD NOT HIMSELF MEET THE PRESIDENT UNTIL EISENHOWER APOLOGIZED FOR U2 SPY PLANE FLIGHTS.

HE THUS APPEARED TO PLACE NEW STUMBLING BLOCKS IN THE WAY OF ANY GET-TOGETHER BY INSISTING ON CONDITIONS WHICH EISENHOWER'S AIDES CALL IMPOSSIBLE FROM THE PRESIDENT'S POINT OF VIEW.

AT THE SAME TIME THERE WAS A PERSISTENT BELIEF AMONG U.S. OFFICIALS THAT KHRUSHCHEV WOULD DO ALL HE COULD TO TRY TO FORCE EISENHOWER INTO A MEETING ON KHRUSHCHEV'S OWN TERMS AS FAR AS POSSIBLE.

AP14WX

EISENHOWER'S PRESS SECRETARY, JAMES HAGERTY, TOLD NEWSMEN THAT TODAY'S MEETING STARTED PROMPTLY ON THE ARRIVAL OF MACMILLAN.

THE SIX PRINCIPALS AT THE SESSION, HE SAID, INCLUDED THE PRESIDENT WHO SAT AT HIS DESK WITH MACMILLAN AND MENZIES FLANKING HIM, HERTER, LORD HOME AND AMBASSADOR BEALE.

IN ADDITION BRIG. GEN. ANDREW J. GOODPASTER, THE PRESIDENT'S AIDE, AND PHILLIP DE ZULUETA, MACMILLAN'S SECRETARY, ALSO ATTENDED.

EISENHOWER SHIFTED THE LOCALE OF THE MEETING FROM THE WHITE HOUSE PROPER TO HIS STUDY IN THE WEST WING OF THE EXECUTIVE MANSION.

HAGERTY WOULD NOT SPECULATE ON THE SUBJECTS UNDER DISCUSSION BUT SAID A STATEMENT WOULD BE MADE WHEN THE SESSION WAS COMPLETED.

MACMILLAN AND MENZIES PLANNED TO BE AIRBORNE ABOUT 3:00 P.M. EST FOR THEIR RETURN TO NEW YORK. THEY WERE DUE TO LEAVE FROM ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE CAPITAL.

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SECOND LEAD IKE-MAC-UN
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, OCT. 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TURNED DOWN TONIGHT A NEUTRALIST PROPOSAL FOR AN IMMEDIATE MEETING BETWEEN HIMSELF AND SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV BECAUSE IT HELD NO HOPE "OF PRODUCTIVE RESULTS."

BUT IN A LETTER TO THE GOVERNMENT HEADS OF FIVE NEUTRAL COUNTRIES, INCLUDING INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER NEHRU, EISENHOWER SAID HE WOULD BE PREPARED FOR ANOTHER SUMMIT CONFERENCE SHOULD KHRUSHCHEV SHOW THAT HE IS READY "TO RETURN TO THE PATH OF PEACEFUL NEGOTIATION WITH SOME PROSPECT OF FRUITFUL RESULTS."

AS A POSSIBLE STEP IN THAT DIRECTION, EISENHOWER DECLARED HIS READINESS TO HAVE U.S. OFFICIALS MEET WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS, INCLUDING A MEETING BETWEEN SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER AND FOREIGN MINISTER ANDRE GROMYKO, IF THE RUSSIANS WANT "TO DISCUSS CONCRETE MEASURES TO REDUCE TENSION."

AS TO THE MEETING WHICH THE FIVE LEADERS OF ASIAN AND AFRICAN NATIONS CALLED FOR IN A RESOLUTION INTRODUCED IN THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY LAST WEEK, EISENHOWER SAID BLUNTLY:

"I WOULD NOT WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN A MERE GESTURE WHICH, IN PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES, MIGHT CONVEY A THOROUGHLY MISLEADING AND UNFORTUNATE IMPRESSION TO THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD."

IN SUPPORT OF THIS VIEW, AND IN STERN UNCOMPROMISING PHRASES, EISENHOWER ASSAILED SOVIET BEHAVIOR SINCE THE BREAKUP OF THE MAY 16 SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN PARIS. HE SAID IT SEEMS DELIBERATELY INTENDED TO INCREASE TENSIONS OVER THE WORLD AND PARTICULARLY TO DAMAGE RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES.

FURTHERMORE, EISENHOWER SAID, "THE CHIEF PROBLEMS IN THE WORLD TODAY ARE NOT DUE TO DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE UNITED STATES ALONE, AND THEREFORE ARE NOT POSSIBLE OF SOLUTION ON A BILATERAL BASIS."

EISENHOWER SAID THE UNITED NATIONS IS OPEN AND OTHER OPPORTUNITIES EXIST IF RUSSIA SERIOUSLY WISHES TO "PAVE THE WAY FOR USEFUL NEGOTIATIONS." CITING THEN HIS READINESS FOR DIRECT U.S.-SOVIET DIPLOMATIC TALKS IF THE SOVIETS WISH THEM ON SPECIFIC PROBLEMS, EISENHOWER MADE HIS POSITIVE OFFER OF A RETURN TO SUMMIT DIPLOMACY IN THESE WORDS:

"SHOULD SUCH EXPLORATORY DISCUSSIONS REVEAL THAT THE SOVIET UNION IS PREPARED TO RETURN TO THE PATH OF PEACEFUL NEGOTIATION WITH SOME PROSPECT OF FRUITFUL RESULTS THEN I PERSONALLY WOULD BE PREPARED TO MEET AND NEGOTIATE WITH A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT AND WITH THE HEADS OF OTHER GOVERNMENTS AS THEIR INTERESTS WERE INVOLVED."

THE PRESIDENT DISCUSSED, ETC., THIRD GRAF IKE-UN (A110WX ET SEQ)
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BULLETIN
ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 PM EEST TONIGHT
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, OCT. 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TONIGHT REJECTED A PROPOSAL BY FIVE NEUTRALIST LEADERS FOR AN IMMEDIATE MEETING WITH SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV SAYING SOVIET WORDS AND ACTIONS FAIL TO HOLD ANY PROMISE "OF PRODUCTIVE RESULTS."
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BULLETIN
ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 PM EST TONIGHT
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON FIRST ADD EISENHOWER-UN X X X RESULTS."
EISENHOWER, IN A LETTER TO THE FIVE LEADERS, HOWEVER, HELD THE DOOR OPEN TO FUTURE MEETINGS WITH KHRUSHCHEV AND OTHER GOVERNMENT HEADS IF THE SOVIET UNION SHOWS IT "IS PREPARED TO RETURN TO THE PATH OF PEACEFUL NEGOTIATION WITH SOME PROSPECT OF FRUITFUL RESULTS."
THE PRESIDENT DISCUSSED HIS LETTER WITH BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN AND AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES IN A WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE THIS MORNING.
THIS AFTERNOON HE APPROVED A FINAL DRAFT WHICH WAS THEN SENT THROUGH THE U. S. MISSION AT THE UNITED NATIONS TO:
PRESIDENT NKRUMAH OF GHANA, PRESIDENT SUKARNO OF INDONESIA, PRESIDENT NASSER OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, PRESIDENT TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA AND PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA.
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A112WX

URGENT
ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 PM EST TONIGHT
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON SECOND ADD IKE-UN X X X INDIA.
EISENHOWER EMPHASIZED AT SEVERAL POINTS THAT HE IS PREPARED AND LONG HAS BEEN TO JOIN IN ANY INTERNATIONAL NEGOTIATION THAT WOULD PROMOTE THE CAUSE OF PEACE AND EASE TENSIONS.
HE SAID HE HAD NEVER "UTILIZED ANY THREATS WHATSOEVER WITH REFERENCE TO ANY INTERNATIONAL QUESTION."
"ON THE OTHER HAND," EISENHOWER WROTE THE FIVE, "THE SOVIET UNION FAR FROM FOLLOWING A COMPARABLE POLICY OF RESTRAINT APPEARS TO HAVE UNDERTAKEN WITH DELIBERATE INTENT A POLICY OF INCREASING TENSIONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND IN PARTICULAR OF DAMAGING RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES.
"INSTEAD OF AVOIDING THREATS OF THE USE OF FORCE, THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS THREATENED ROCKET RETALIATION AGAINST MANY MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES ON THE PRETEXT OF CONTRIVED AND IMAGINARY INTENTIONS ON THE PART OF THESE COUNTRIES.
"WHILE THESE THREATS HAVE NECESSARILY ONLY STRENGTHENED OUR RESOLVE TO MAINTAIN OUR READINESS TO DETER AND IF NECESSARY, TO RESIST ANY AGGRESSION, THEY HAVE NEVERTHELESS CAUSED UNEASINESS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."
EISENHOWER THEN BROUGHT UP SPECIFIC ACCUSATIONS AGAINST RUSSIA SAYING THE SOVIETS HAD REFUSED AN IMPARTIAL INTERNATIONAL BODY TO INVESTIGATE THE SHOOTING DOWN JULY 1 OF A U. S. RB47 AIRPLANE AND IS STILL HOLDING TWO MEMBERS OF THE CREW.
PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY SAID EISENHOWER'S DEMAND FOR RELEASE OF THESE MEN STILL STANDS AS ONE CONDITION FOR A MEETING WITH KHRUSHCHEV.
THE SOVIETS, THE PRESIDENT SAID, ALSO BROKE UP THE TEN-NATION DISARMAMENT TALKS IN GENEVA FOLLOWING KHRUSHCHEV'S DISRUPTION OF THE PARIS SUMMIT CONFERENCE MAY 16.

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AT ONE POINT EISENHOWER SUGGESTED HE WAS PREPARED TO HAVE SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN HERTER MEET WITH SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDRE GROMYKO "IF SOVIET REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD WISH TO DISCUSS CONCRETE MEASURES TO REDUCE TENSIONS."
THE PRESIDENT ALSO SAID "IF THE SOVIET UNION SERIOUSLY DESIRES A REDUCTION IN TENSIONS IT CAN READILY PAVE THE WAY FOR USEFUL NEGOTIATIONS BY ACTIONS IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND ELSEWHERE."
EISENHOWER THEN MADE THIS OFFER:
"SHOULD SUCH EXPLORATORY DISCUSSIONS REVEAL THAT THE SOVIET UNION IS PREPARED TO RETURN TO THE PATCH OF PEACEFUL NEGOTIATION WITH SOME PROSPECT OF FRUITFUL RESULTS THEN I PERSONALLY WOULD BE PREPARED TO MEET AND NEGOTIATE WITH THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT AND WITH THE HEADS OF OTHER GOVERNMENTS AS THEIR INTERESTS WERE INVOLVED."
AS TO HIS REFUSAL TO HOLD NOW THE MEETING PROPOSED BY THE FIVE NEUTRALS IN A RESOLUTION INTRODUCED AT THE U. N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY, EISENHOWER SAID THE QUESTIONS WHICH PRESENTLY DISRUPT THE WORLD CONCERN NOT ONLY THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA BUT OTHER NATIONS AS WELL.
"THE IMPORTANCE OF THESE MATTERS," THE PRESIDENT SAID, "IS SUCH AS TO GO BEYOND PERSONAL OR OFFICIAL RELATIONS BETWEEN ANY TWO INDIVIDUALS TO IMPEDE THEIR SOLUTION, AND I HAVE MANY TIMES PERSONALLY PLEDGED MYSELF, REGARDLESS OF EVERY KIND OF PERSONAL CONSIDERATION, TO MEET WITH ANYONE AT ANY TIME IF THERE IS ANY SERIOUS PROMISE OF PRODUCTIVE RESULTS."
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URGENT

WASHINGTON--THIRD ADD EISENHOWER-UN (WHICH MAKE FIRST LEAD IKE-MAC BUDGET) X X X RESULTS. OPENING QUOTE.

"THERE IS NOTHING IN THE WORDS OR ACTIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SOVIET UNION WHICH GIVES ME ANY REASON TO BELIEVE THAT THE MEETING YOU SUGGEST WOULD HOLD ANY SUCH PROMISE.

I WOULD NOT WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN A MERE GESTURE WHICH, IN PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES MIGHT CONVEY A THOROUGHLY MISLEADING AND UNFORTUNATE IMPRESSION TO THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD."

MACMILLAN WHO CAME HERE WITH MENZIES LATE YESTERDAY FLEW BACK TO NEW YORK THIS AFTERNOON. HE HAS HAD ONE MEETING WITH KHRUSHCHEV AND EXPECTS TO HAVE ANOTHER THIS WEEK.

A COMMUNIQUE SEVENTH GRAF PREVIOUS A31WX.

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(600 UP)

IKE-MAC BUDGET

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, OCT. 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WAS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE AGREED WITH BRITISH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN TODAY THAT IF THERE WAS ANY CHANCE OF MEETING SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV FOR SERIOUS PURPOSES HE WOULD CONSIDER DOING SO.

WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY TOLD NEWSMEN THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE PRESIDENT'S CONDITIONS FOR SEEING THE SOVIET LEADER, WHO IS ATTENDING THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN NEW YORK. HAGERTY ADDED THAT NO CHANGE IS BEING CONSIDERED.

A WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT, PRESUMABLY CLARIFYING THE PRESIDENT'S ATTITUDE ON A KHRUSHCHEV MEETING AND THE STRONG PRESSURE FROM A GROUP OF NEUTRAL NATIONS FOR SUCH A CONFERENCE, WAS PROMISED FOR LATER IN THE DAY (7:30 P.M. EDT). HAGERTY TOLD NEWSMEN THERE WOULD BE NOTHING BEFORE THEN.

THE PRESS SECRETARY'S REASSERTION OF EISENHOWER'S CONDITIONS FOR MEETING KHRUSHCHEV, PLUS WORD THAT A MEETING FOR SERIOUS PURPOSES MIGHT BE POSSIBLE, STRONGLY INDICATED THAT EISENHOWER AND MACMILLAN WERE ANXIOUS TO OFFER THE MOST POSITIVE STATEMENT POSSIBLE OF THE BASIC U.S. POSITION ON THIS CRITICAL AND EXPLOSIVE ISSUE.

THEY CLEARLY DO NOT WANT TO OFFEND MEN LIKE PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA WHO IS ONE OF THE LEADERS PRESSING FOR A RENEWAL OF PERSONAL CONTACT BETWEEN EISENHOWER AND KHRUSHCHEV.

EISENHOWER AND MACMILLAN MET AT THE WHITE HOUSE FOR ABOUT 80 MINUTES THIS MORNING, TOGETHER WITH THEIR FOREIGN MINISTERS AND PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA.

A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AFTER THE MEETING PUT THE FOCUS OF ATTENTION ON MENZIES. THIS WAS TAKEN TO MEAN THAT HE WOULD BE THE NEXT MAJOR SPEAKER IN THE WESTERN RESPONSE TO KHRUSHCHEV'S ATTACKS ON THE UNITED NATIONS, THE UNITED STATES AND VARIOUS OTHER NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

THE MID-DAY STATEMENT SAID THAT MENZIES MET WITH MACMILLAN AND EISENHOWER AND THAT THEY CONTINUED THE DISCUSSION OF CURRENT U.N. PROBLEMS WHICH THE PRESIDENT AND MACMILLAN HAD STARTED IN NEW YORK LAST WEEK.

"ALL THREE WERE AGREED," THE STATEMENT SAID, "IN THE HOPE THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS WILL NOW BE ABLE TO ACHIEVE REAL PROGRESS ON THE PROBLEMS CONFRONTING IT, NOTABLY THAT OF DISARMAMENT."

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MACMILLAN, WHO HAD BEEN SCHEDULED TO RETURN AT 3 P.M. TO NEW YORK--HE FLEW HERE FROM THE U.N. CITY YESTERDAY--DELAYED HIS DEPARTURE UNTIL LATER IN THE AFTERNOON SO HE COULD PARTICIPATE IN FURTHER DISCUSSIONS.

HE MADE A DATE TO SEE MENZIES AFTER LUNCH. SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER ARRANGED TO MEET BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY LORD HOME AT THE BRITISH EMBASSY DURING THE AFTERNOON.

MEANWHILE EISENHOWER HELD A PRE-LUNCHEON CONFERENCE WITH HERTER, UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE DOUGLAS DILLON AND OTHER STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISERS. IN EARLY AFTERNOON DILLON LEFT BY PLANE FOR CHICAGO WHERE HE WAS SCHEDULED TO ADDRESS THE POLISH NATIONAL ALLIANCE.

HAGERTY SAID THAT SO FAR AS HE KNEW THERE WOULD BE NO FURTHER MEETING DURING THE DAY BETWEEN MACMILLAN AND EISENHOWER ALTHOUGH EISENHOWER WOULD BE IN TOUCH WITH HIS STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISERS LATER IN THE AFTERNOON.

ASKED WHETHER THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF MIGHT RETURN TO THE U.N. HAGERTY WOULD ONLY TELL REPORTERS TO BE ON HAND FOR HIS MEETING WITH THEM TONIGHT. HE DID NOT RULE OUT ANOTHER EISENHOWER TRIP TO NEW YORK, BUT NEITHER DID HE CONFIRM THE POSSIBILITY.

THE APPARENT REASON FOR THE FURTHER ROUND OF DIPLOMATIC TALKS THIS AFTERNOON WAS THAT EISENHOWER, MACMILLAN AND MENZIES HAD AGREED ON THE GENERAL LINE THE PRESIDENT WOULD TAKE AND THEY WOULD SUPPORT ABOUT A MEETING WITH KHRUSHCHEV, BUT THE WORDING--THE FINE SHADINGS OF MEANING WHICH IN THIS CASE MIGHT BE HIGHLY IMPORTANT--REQUIRED MORE TIME FOR THEIR DIPLOMATIC ADVISERS TO WORK OUT.

THIS UNDERSTANDING OF THE DAY'S EARLY DEVELOPMENTS WAS IN LINE WITH HAGERTY'S STATEMENT THAT NO CHANGE IN THE U.S. POSITION ON A MEETING WITH KHRUSHCHEV WAS UNDER CONSIDERATION.

EISENHOWER HAS EMPHASIZED ONE CONDITION ABOVE ALL OTHERS. THAT IS THAT TWO U.S. AIRMEN WHO WERE CAPTURED AFTER THE SOVIETS SHOT DOWN AN RB47 AIR FORCE PLANE ON JULY 1 MUST BE RELEASED. THE WHITE HOUSE CHARGED AT THE TIME THAT THE PLANE WAS SHOT DOWN ILLEGALLY OVER INTERNATIONAL WATERS.

THE OTHER MAJOR CONDITION, ON WHICH THE PRESIDENT HAS NEVER BEEN SO SPECIFIC, IS THAT THERE SHOULD BE SOME REASON TO BELIEVE THAT A MEETING BETWEEN KHRUSHCHEV AND HIMSELF WOULD BE PROFITABLE.

KHRUSHCHEV SAID LAST NIGHT THAT HE DID NOT INTEND TO RELEASE THE RB47 FLIERS. HE ALSO INDICATED THAT BEFORE ANY EISENHOWER MEETING HE WANTED A PRESIDENTIAL APOLOGY FOR U.S. U2 SPY FLIGHTS OVER RUSSIA, SOMETHING EISENHOWER HAS FLATLY REFUSED IN THE PAST.

TODAY KHRUSHCHEV SAID HE HAS NOT YET THOUGHT OVER THE PLEA BY FIVE NEUTRAL NATIONS THAT HE GET TOGETHER WITH EISENHOWER.

KHRUSHCHEV ALSO DUCKED AN INQUIRY AT GLEN COVE, N.Y., AS TO WHETHER HE EXPECTS TO SEE EISENHOWER BEFORE HE LEAVES THIS COUNTRY. HE INDICATED ONCE AGAIN THAT HE WANTS THE FIRST MOVE FOR A MEETING TO COME FROM SOMEONE ELSE.

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(140)
WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD IKE-MAC A31-32WX X X X SOMEONE ELSE.
MENZIES AND HERTER CONFERRED FOR ONE HOUR AT THE BRITISH EMBASSY WITH MACMILLAN AND LORD HOME.
WHEN THE MEETING BROKE UP, THE PRINCIPALS APPEARED IN A GOOD HUMOR BUT DECLINED ANY STATEMENT.
ONE OFFICIAL PRESENT, WHO ASKED NOT TO BE IDENTIFIED, SAID THE SESSION AT THE EMBASSY WAS A CONTINUATION OF THE DISCUSSION EARLIER AT THE WHITE HOUSE ON THE UNITED NATIONS SITUATION.
ONE OF THE KEY ASPECTS OF THE MEETING APPEARED TO BE A THOROUGHGOING CONSULTATION ON THE SPEECH MENZIES WILL DELIVER AT THE U. N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON WEDNESDAY.
AN AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY SPOKESMAN SAID MENZIES WILL NOT HAVE ANY PLATITUDES TO SPEAK BEFORE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
MENZIES IS NOTED AS AN ELOQUENT SPEAKER AND IS EXPECTED TO REFLECT THE LATEST ALLIED STRATEGY IN HIS TALK.
AFTER THE CONFERENCES MENZIES AND MACMILLAN ARRANGED TO FLY BACK TO NEW YORK TOGETHER ABOARD MACMILLAN'S TRIM COMET JET. DEPARTURE WAS SCHEDULED FOR ABOUT 5:15 P.M. EDT.
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Macmillan

WASHINGTON SECOND ADD IKE-MAC A31-32, 69WX X X X IN HIS TALK.
(ELIMINATING LAST GRAF)

AFTER THE CONFERENCES MENZIES AND MACMILLAN FLEW BACK TOWARD NEW YORK TOGETHER ABOARD MACMILLAN'S TRIM COMET JET, LEAVING ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE SHORTLY AFTER 5 P.M.

MACMILLAN DECLINED TO MAKE ANY STATEMENT, SAYING "I'VE ALREADY SAID ENOUGH."

MENZIES LIKEWISE DECLINED COMMENT, OTHER THAN TO TELL REPORTERS: "COME TO THE U. N. ON WEDNESDAY -- I PROMISE YOU A GOOD SPEECH."

MACMILLAN WILL REMAIN AT THE UNITED NATIONS THROUGH NEXT WEDNESDAY AND MAY STAY LONGER.

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(270) FIRST LEAD IKE-MAC

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, OCT. 1 (AP)-BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN FLEW IN TODAY FOR A TALK WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER ON STRATEGY FOR MEETING SWELLING NEUTRALIST PRESSURE AT THE UNITED NATIONS FOR AN EISENHOWER-KHRUSHCHEV MEETING.

U.S. OFFICIALS HEAVILY DISCOUNTED THE POSSIBILITY OF ANY SUCH CONFERENCE BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT AND THE SOVIET PREMIER DESPITE THE DEMAND FROM LEADERS OF COLD WAR NEUTRALS SUCH AS PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA.

MACMILLAN, ARRIVING FROM NEW YORK, WOULDN'T COMMENT TO NEWSMEN ON HIS SCHEDULED TALK WITH EISENHOWER AT THE WHITE HOUSE TOMORROW MORNING (9:30 A.M. EDT). ALSO SITTING IN WILL BE PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA.

"I'VE SAID ENOUGH ALREADY," MACMILLAN TOLD REPORTERS IN A REFERENCE TO HIS SPEECH TO THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY. "I'VE SAID A MOUTHFUL."

EISENHOWER HAD COME IN TO THE SAME AIRPORT LESS THAN TWO HOURS EARLIER. NEWSMEN HAD NO OPPORTUNITY TO TALK TO HIM ON HIS ARRIVAL FROM DENVER, WHERE HE HAD GONE TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL OF MRS. EISENHOWER'S MOTHER, MRS. ELIVERA DOUD.

BUT IT SEEMED LIKELY THAT THE PRESIDENT WOULD HOLD IN ABEYANCE ANY FINAL DECISIONS ON STRATEGY UNTIL HE HAS TALKED WITH MACMILLAN AND MENZIES TOMORROW.

THE THREE MEN WILL BE JOINED BY SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY LORD HOME AND AMBASSADOR HOWARD BEALE OF AUSTRALIA.

BEALE ARRANGED A DINNER TONIGHT FOR MACMILLAN, HERTER, MENZIES, LORD HOME AND A FEW OTHER TOP OFFICIALS OF THE THREE NATIONS. PRESUMABLY THERE WOULD BE PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION THERE OF THE DEMANDS FOR NEW TALKS BETWEEN EISENHOWER AND KHRUSHCHEV.

SHOULD KHRUSHCHEV AGREE X X X ETC., 2ND GRAF A46WX, AND DELETING 5TH AND 6TH GRAFS: "A FINAL DETERMINATION X X X OF AUSTRALIA."

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, OCT. 1 (AP)-U.S. OFFICIALS STRONGLY DISCOUNTED TODAY ANY POSSIBILITY THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WILL YIELD TO HEAVY NEUTRALIST PRESSURES AT THE UNITED NATIONS FOR A MEETING WITH SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV.

SHOULD KHRUSHCHEV AGREE TO EISENHOWER'S CONDITIONS FOR A PARLEY IT MIGHT BE SPEEDILY ARRANGED, THESE AUTHORITIES SAID. BUT THEY SAW NO PROSPECT OF THAT DEVELOPMENT IN VIEW OF THE SOVIET LEADER'S PERSISTENT HOSTILITY TOWARD THE UNITED STATES AND THE WESTERN POWERS IN GENERAL.

THE CHIEF SPECIFIC CONDITION EISENHOWER HAS LAID DOWN IS THAT TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN HELD BY THE SOVIET UNION SHOULD BE RELEASED. IN ADDITION EISENHOWER WANTS SOME EVIDENCE THAT A TALK BETWEEN HIMSELF AND KHRUSHCHEV MIGHT ACTUALLY EASE WORLD TENSIONS.

THE UNITED STATES FOUND ITSELF TODAY CAUGHT IN SOMETHING OF A DIPLOMATIC TRAP ON THE EISENHOWER-KHRUSHCHEV ISSUE, OFFICIALS ACKNOWLEDGED. THE PROBLEM OF HOW TO MEET THE PRESSURE FOR A CONFERENCE WITHOUT APPEARING TO CLOSE THE DOOR ON WORLDWIDE HOPES FOR IMPROVING SOVIET-U. S. RELATIONS IS RECOGNIZED AS A DELICATE AND EMBARRASSING ONE.

A FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE U. S. POSITION AWAITED THE RETURN OF EISENHOWER TO THE CAPITAL FROM DENVER AND PROBABLY HIS MEETING TOMORROW MORNING (9:30 A. M. EDT) WITH BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN AND PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA.

THE THREE MEN WILL BE JOINED BY SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY LORD HOME AND AMBASSADOR HOWARD BEALE OF ASTRALIA.

MACMILLAN HAS LONG BEEN AN ADVOCATE OF SUMMIT DIPLOMACY AND THERE SEEMS TO BE NO DOUBT THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE EISENHOWER AND KHRUSHCHEV GET TOGETHER. U. S. AND BRITISH DIPLOMATS AGREE, HOWEVER, THAT HE WOULD NOT PRESS EISENHOWER TO AGREE TO SUCH A SESSION.

MACMILLAN CONFERRED WITH EISENHOWER IN NEW YORK ON TUESDAY AND HAD A MEETING WITH KHRUSHCHEV ON THURSDAY. HE WAS REPORTED TO HAVE FOUND KHRUSHCHEV IN AN UNCOMPROMISING MOOD. THE SOVIET LEADER'S ATTITUDE AS EXPRESSED IN PRIVATE CONVERSATION WAS SAID NOT TO BE DIFFERENCE FROM THAT WHICH HE HAD DISPLAYED IN HIS PUBLIC SPEECHES AND STATEMENTS SINCE HE REACHED NEW YORK.

THE DIPLOMATIC SQUEEZE IN WHICH THE UNITED STATES FINDS ITSELF IS THIS:

WHEN KHRUSHCHEV ARRIVED AT THE UNITED NATIONS TWO WEEKS AGO THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE SPECULATION HERE AND ABROAD THAT HE MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN ARRIVING AT A RECONCILIATION WITH EISENHOWER TO END THE PERIOD OF WASHINGTON-MOSCOW BITTERNESS WHICH BEGAN WITH THE U2 SPY PLANE INCIDENT AND SUMMIT CONFERENCE BREAKDOWN IN MAY. SOVIET DIPLOMATS IN EUROPE ENCOURAGED THIS SPECULATION AND KHRUSHCHEV CREATED THE IMPRESSION HE WAS INTERESTED IN MEETING THE PRESIDENT.N

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ONCE IN NEW YORK, HOWEVER, KHRUSHCHEV DID NOTHING TO MAKE SUCH A MEETING EASIER BUT ON THE CONTRARY CONTINUED HIS ANTI-AMERICAN, ANTI-WESTERN CAMPAIGN.

LEADERS OF VARIOUS COUNTRIES NOT TIED UP WITH EITHER OF THE TWO GREAT POWER BLOCS MEANWHILE GOT BEHIND THE IDEA OF A MEETING BETWEEN THE TWO MEN. THEIR SUPPORT FINALLY FOUND FORMAL EXPRESSION YESTERDAY IN A RESOLUTION PRESENTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CALLING FOR RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF CONTACT AS A FIRST STEP TOWARD REDUCING WORLD TENSIONS.

THIS RESOLUTION WAS PROPOSED BY PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA, AND PRESIDENTS TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA, NASSER OF EGYPT, SUKARNO OF INDONESIA AND NKRUMAH OF GHANA.

THESE MEN ARE ASSUMED TO EXERCISE A POWERFUL INFLUENCE OVER THE MAJORITY OF U. N. DELEGATIONS FROM AFRICA AND ASIA--THE NEUTRALIST GROUP.

THE UNITED STATES IS THEREFORE FACED WITH POSSIBILITY THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY VOTE FOR AN EISENHOWER-KHRUSHCHEV MEETING. EVEN IF THE RESOLUTION SHOULD NOT COMMAND A MAJORITY, IT SEEMS ASSURED OF A STRONG MINORITY SUPPORT.

U. S. OFFICIALS SAY THE MEN WHO SPONSORED THE RESOLUTION UNDOUBTEDLY BELIEVE THAT RENEWAL OF SUCH PERSONAL DIPLOMACY WOULD BE A CONTRIBUTION TO WORLD PEACE. BUT THIS VIEW IS NOT GENERALLY ACCEPTED IN THE U. S. GOVERNMENT.

A FACE-TO-FACE CONFRONTATION OF KHRUSHCHEV AND EISENHOWER COULD ACTUALLY RESULT IN INCREASING TENSIONS, AS OFFICIALS HERE SEE THE SITUATION. THEY SAY FAILURE OF EISENHOWER AND KHRUSHCHEV TO COME TO ANY KIND OF BETTER UNDERSTANDING COULD INCREASE THE WORED'S TROUBLES BY WRECKING HOPES BUILT UPON SUCH A MEETING. EVEN WORSE, OFFICIALS SAID, WOULD BE A MEETING IN WHICH KHRUSHCHEV UNDERTOOK TO LECTURE EISENHOWER, A MEETING THAT WAS CHARACTERIZED BY RECRIMINATIONS RATHER THAN AN EFFORT TO COME TO GRIPS SERIOUSLY WITH OUTSTANDING ISSUES.

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(180) IKE-KHRUSHCHEV
WASHINGTON, SEPT. 20 (AP)-WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY TODAY ATTRIBUTED TO "THE RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA GAME" CONTINUING REPORTS THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WILL MEET WITH SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV.

HAGERTY SAID "RUSSIAN SOURCES" HAVE LEAKED A WHOLE SERIES OF REPORTS ON SUCH A MEETING.

HE SAID IT HAD BEEN MADE CLEAR REPEATEDLY BY U.S. OFFICIALS THAT THERE ARE NO PLANS FOR THIS.

THE PRESS SECRETARY WAS ASKED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE ABOUT A PUBLISHED REPORT THAT EISENHOWER HAD REDUCED HIS CONDITIONS FOR A MEETING WITH THE SOVIET LEADER, AND SPECIFICALLY HAD DROPPED HIS DEMAND FOR THE RELEASE OF TWO AMERICAN PILOTS HELD IN RUSSIA SINCE THEIR RB47 PLANE WAS SHOT DOWN IN THE BARENTS SEA.

"I CAN'T IMAGINE ANYTHING FARTHER FROM THE TRUTH, IF THERE HAS BEEN SUCH A STORY," HAGERTY SAID.

HAGERTY SAID HE HAD NOTHING FURTHER TO REPORT TODAY ON PLANS FOR THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO NEW YORK THURSDAY TO ADDRESS THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

HE SAID YESTERDAY THAT EISENHOWER MIGHT MEET WITH SOME LEADERS OF OTHER NATIONS WHILE IN NEW YORK.

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BUT HERE ARE SOME OF THE PROBLEMS IN THE WAY OF SUCH VISITS:

1. DIPLOMATIC PROBLEMS--HOW CAN SOME OF THEM BE INVITED WITHOUT SLIGHTING THE OTHERS? YET TO INVITE ALL COULD BRING A SUMMIT SWARM ON WASHINGTON. THE U. S. GOVERNMENT DOESN'T EVEN KNOW YET JUST HOW MANY GOVERNMENT HEADS WILL SHOW UP FOR THE U. N. GATHERING. ONE ESTIMATE IS 25.

2. PHYSICAL PROBLEMS--NORMALLY, IT TAKES WEEKS OR MONTHS TO ARRANGE A VISIT TO WASHINGTON BY A FOREIGN CHIEF. EISENHOWER IS A BUSY MAN AND THE VISITOR NORMALLY HAS A PACKED SCHEDULE TOO. EISENHOWER ALREADY HAS A NUMBER OF COMMITMENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKS.

3. DOMESTIC POLITICS--WITH THE 1960 U. S. ELECTION CAMPAIGN HEATING UP, SEGMENTS OF THE AMERICAN PUBLIC ARE DEEMED MORE LIKELY THAN USUAL TO RAISE A CRY AGAINST EISENHOWER'S FRATERNIZING WITH FOREIGN LEADERS WHO SOMETIMES HAVE BEEN QUITE SOUR TOWARDS U. S. POLICY.

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TITO AND NASSER POSE PARTICULAR PROBLEMS, FROM A STANDPOINT OF VOTE SEEKERS IN THE AMERICAN ELECTION.

A PROPOSAL THAT TITO VISIT THE UNITED STATES ABOUT THREE YEARS AGO WAS ABANDONED AFTER AN OUTCRY FROM AMERICANS CRITICAL OF THE YUGOSLAV COMMUNIST LEADER'S ANTI-CHURCH ACTIONS.

NASSER IS REGARDED AS A PRIME ENEMY BY THE MORE VIGOROUS SUPPORTERS OF ISRAEL.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS SAID THAT THE QUESTION OF INVITING FOREIGN CHIEFS TO WASHINGTON WAS UNDER ACTIVE CONSIDERATION. SECRETARY CHRISTIAN A. HERTER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY THAT IT IS UP TO EISENHOWER TO MAKE ANY ANNOUNCEMENT.

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U. N.-WHITE HOUSE

SEP 15 1960

BY LEWIS GULICK

WASHINGTON, SEPT. 15 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY FACED THE TICKLISH TASK OF DECIDING WHO, IF ANY, OF THE NATIONAL LEADERS COMING TO THE UNITED NATIONS MEETING SHOULD GET AN INVITATION TO STOP BY AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

PREVAILING U. S. FOREIGN POLICY VIRTUALLY RULED OUT ANY SUCH OVERTURES TO SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV AND HIS EUROPEAN BLOC LIEUTENANTS OR TO CUBA'S FIDEL CASTRO. BOTH KHRUSHCHEV AND CASTRO ARE UNDER U. S. ORDER NOT TO STRAY FROM MANHATTAN ISLAND DURING THEIR U. N. VISIT.

BUT EXPERTS FIGURED THIS COUNTRY MIGHT GAIN A DIPLOMATIC ADVANTAGE BY INVITING SOME OF THE GOVERNMENT HEADS DOWN TO WASHINGTON--PROVIDED THE OBSTACLES AREN'T TOO GREAT ALONG THE WAY.

YUGOSLAVIA'S JOSIP BROZ TITO, EGYPT'S GAMAL ABDEL NASSER AND INDONESIA'S [redacted] SUKARNO ARE AMONG PROSPECTIVE PARTICIPANTS IN THE U. N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING STARTING NEXT TUESDAY. ANY BENDING OF THESE THREE NEUTRALIST CHIEFS TOWARD THE FREE WORLD WOULD BENEFIT THE WEST AND DENT KHRUSHCHEV'S COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN.

THE HEADS OF NEW AFRICAN DELEGATIONS, TOO, MIGHT BE FAVORABLY IMPRESSED BY A WELCOME TO THE CAPITAL OF THE UNITED STATES.

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"THE HEADS" X X X UNITED STATES.

WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY DESCRIBED AS "NOT TRUE" A PUBLISHED REPORT (NEW YORK TIMES) SAYING EISENHOWER PROBABLY WILL INVITE 10 OR MORE CHIEFS OF STATE OF THE NEW AFRICAN REPUBLICS TO WASHINGTON AS A GROUP.

HOWEVER, HAGERTY GAVE THE IMPRESSION THE PRESIDENT MAY BE PLANNING SOME SORT OF GET-TOGETHER WITH THESE CHIEFS OF STATE. THE PRESS SECRETARY DECLARED HE WOULD HAVE NOTHING TO SAY ON THAT MATTER AT THIS TIME, BUT ADDED:

"WHEN I HAVE ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS TO MAKE, I'LL MAKE THEM."

HAGERTY DECLINED COMMENT WHEN ASKED ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF EISENHOWER MEETING WITH TITO AND NASSER.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE PROBLEMS IN THE WAY OF WASHINGTON VISITS BY SELECTED OFFICIALS:

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NIGHT LEAD IKE-SWEDEN (270)

STOCKHOLM, JULY 28 (AP)-SWEDES WERE TOLD TODAY IT WAS THEIR COUNTRY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER REFERRED TO IN REMARKS INTERPRETED AS A CRITICISM OF SWEDEN'S SOCIALIST SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT. AND THEY DIDN'T LIKE IT.

NEWSPAPERS DESCRIBED IT AS A "VIOLENT OUTBURST AGAINST SWEDEN" AND THE STOCKHOLM TRADE UNION PAPER AFTONBLADET SAID: "THIS IS WHAT HAPPENS WHEN SOMEONE IN THE WHITE HOUSE GIVES THE PRESIDENT SOMETHING ELSE TO READ OTHER THAN THE WILD WEST NOVELS HE IS USTED TO."

WHAT TOUCHED OFF THE FURORE WAS EISENHOWER'S REMARK AT THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION IN CHICAGO ~~YESTERDAY~~ TODAY. THE PRESIDENT SAID HE HAD BEEN READING OF AN EXPERIMENT OF ALMOST COMPLETE PATERNALISM IN A VERY FRIENDLY EUROPEAN COUNTRY. THE COUNTRY HAS AN ALMOST COMPLETE SOCIALIST SYSTEM, HE SAID, YET THE RECORD SHOWS ITS RATE OF SUICIDE HAS SOARED, AND SO HAVE DRUNKENNESS AND LACK OF AMBITION.

THE PRESIDENT DID NOT NAME THE COUNTRY. HE SEEMED TO MEAN THE REMARK AS AN ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MODERATE CONSERVATIVE GOVERNMENT.

DEFENSE MINISTER SVEN ANDERSSON, ACTING PRIME MINISTER DURING PREMIER TAGE ERLANDER'S VACATION, WAS REPORTED BY SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS AS SAYING: "IT'S A GOOD THING HIS TERM AS PRESIDENT IS SOON OVER, IF THAT'S WHAT HE SAID ABOUT SWEDEN."

THE LIBERAL STOCKHOLM NEWSPAPER DAGENS NYHETER CALLED ON THE SWEDISH FOREIGN MINISTER TO PROTEST.

DANISH AND NORWEGIAN COMMENTS WERE MORE RESTRAINED. THE DANISH INDEPENDENT PAPER, INFORMATION, NOTING THAT DENMARK HAS THE HIGHEST SUICIDE RATE OF THE THREE SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES, SAID EISENHOWER "EVIDENTLY THINKS DENMARK IS THE CAPITAL OF SWEDEN, SEAT OF THE NORWEGIAN GOVERNMENT."

THE ANTI-SOCIALIST NORWEGIAN PAPER, VERDENS GANG, SAID "THE PRESIDENT MIGHT HAVE AIMED HIS CRITICISM AT SCANDINAVIA IN GENERAL AND JUST TO BE ON THE SAFE SIDE PERHAPS WE SHOULD FEEL A LITTLE HURT."

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(180) IRAN

WASHINGTON, MARCH 23 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER PLEDGED TODAY THE UNITED STATES WOULD STAND BY IRAN IN THE FACE OF "A BARRAGE OF VICIOUS AND UNWARRANTED" PROPAGANDA FROM RUSSIA.

"YOU MAY BE ASSURED THAT YOU DO NOT STAND ALONE IN THE FACE OF THESE HOSTILE PRESSURES," EISENHOWER TOLD IRAN'S NEW AMBASSADOR, ARDESHIR ZAHEDI. ZAHEDI, THE SON OF A PRO-WESTERN PRIME MINISTER WHO LATER WAS ASSASSINATED, HAD CALLED EISENHOWER'S ATTENTION TO THE PRESSURE ON IRAN.

IN PRESENTING HIS CREDENTIALS, THE AMBASSADOR HAD LAUDED AMERICAN BACKING FOR HIS GOVERNMENT, AND HAD SAID:

"THIS COOPERATION HAS CAUSED OUR GOVERNMENT TO BE SUBJECTED TO A CAMPAIGN OF THREATS AND VITUPERATION WITHOUT PARALLEL IN PEACETIME INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS."

NEITHER EISENHOWER OR ZAHEDI MENTIONED RUSSIA BY NAME AS THE SOURCE OF THE PROPAGANDA ATTACKS AGAINST IRAN, BUT, BOTH CLEARLY HAD THESE IN MIND SINCE MOSCOW HAS UNLEASHED A MAJOR PROPAGANDA OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE SHAH OF IRAN AND HIS GOVERNMENT IN RECENT MONTHS.

THE YOUTHFUL ZAHEDI IS MARRIED TO THE DAUGHTER OF THE SHAH. HE WAS A STUDENT IN THE UNITED STATES FOR MANY YEARS BEFORE RETURNING TO HIS COUNTRY.

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IKE-ARMS
BY ERNEST B. VACCARO

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NOV 26 1959

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, NOV. 26 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SAYS ENORMOUS RISKS ARE ENTAILED IF THE SEARCH FOR A WORKABLE ARMS REDUCTION AND CONTROL AGREEMENT FAILS.

ON THE OTHER HAND, HE SAID IN A LETTER MADE PUBLIC TONIGHT, "SUCCESS IN THIS QUEST WILL BRING GREATER SECURITY TO ALL COUNTRIES AND LIFT THE THREAT OF DEVASTATING NUCLEAR CONFLICT."

EISENHOWER SAID ALSO HE INTENDS TO URGE CONGRESS ANEW TO REPEAL A RESERVATION RESTRICTING U. S. PARTICIPATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE, OR WORLD COURT. THIS RESERVATION PROVIDES THAT THIS COUNTRY ITSELF HAS THE RIGHT TO DECIDE WHETHER A DISPUTE LIES ESSENTIALLY WITHIN DOMESTIC JURISDICTION. THUS NO CASE INVOLVING THE UNITED STATES CAN BE TAKEN TO THE WORLD COURT WITHOUT THIS COUNTRY'S APPROVAL.

EISENHOWER SET FORTH THESE VIEWS IN A LETTER, DATED FROM AUGUSTA, GA., ON NOV. 17 AND ADDRESSED TO SEN. HUBERT H. HUMPHREY (D-MINN). THE LETTER WAS MADE PUBLIC BY HUMPHREY, CHAIRMAN OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT.

REPLYING TO A LETTER FROM HUMPHREY, EISENHOWER SAID THE UNITED STATES HAS FOLLOWED A POLICY OF SEEKING INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS ON "MANAGEABLE SEGMENTS OF THE WHOLE ARMS PROBLEM."

"THE BEST AND MOST CAREFULLY ELABORATED AGREEMENTS ARE LIKELY TO CARRY WITH THEM SOME RISKS, AT LEAST THEORETICALLY, OF EVASION," THE PRESIDENT WROTE.

"BUT ONE MUST PONDER, IN REACHING DECISIONS ON THE VERY COMPLEX AND DIFFICULT SUBJECT OF ARMS CONTROL, THE ENORMOUS RISKS ENTAILED IF REASONABLE STEPS ARE NOT TAKEN TO CURB THE INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION IN ARMAMENTS AND TO MOVE EFFECTIVELY IN THE DIRECTION OF DISARMAMENT."

HUMPHREY, IN WRITING EISENHOWER OCT. 12 HAD PRAISED EISENHOWER FOR URGING IN HIS STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE LAST JANUARY ELIMINATION OF RESTRICTIONS HAMPERING THE WORLD COURT.

CONGRESS TOOK NO ACTION ON THE RECOMMENDATION, AND EISENHOWER TOLD THE SENATOR HE INTENDS TO RENEW IT.

"ELIMINATION OF THIS AUTOMATIC RESERVATION FROM OUR OWN DECLARATION ACCEPTING COMPULSORY JURISDICTION WOULD PLACE THE UNITED STATES IN A BETTER POSITION TO URGE OTHER COUNTRIES TO AGREE TO WIDER JURISDICTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE," EISENHOWER SAID.

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"...THE CONTINUED DEVELOPMENT OF MUTUAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS AMONG THE UNITED STATES AND A LARGE NUMBER OF FREE WORLD COUNTRIES HAS PROVIDED A POWERFUL DETERRENT AGAINST INTERNATIONAL LAW-BREAKING.

"ONE CANNOT, HOWEVER, BE SATISFIED WITH THE WAY EVENTS HAVE DEVELOPED IN SOME AREAS--FOR EXAMPLE, HUNGARY AND TIBET. THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY NEEDS TO FIND MORE EFFECTIVE MEANS TO COPE WITH AND TO PREVENT SUCH BRUTAL USES OF FORCE."

HUMPHREY SAID HE WILL ASK THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TO HOLD HEARINGS ON HIS RESOLUTION TO ELIMINATE THE U. S. RESERVATION TO THE WORLD COURT AGREEMENT.

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IKE-IRISH

WASHINGTON, MARCH 17 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SENT ST. PATRICK'S HOLIDAY GREETINGS TODAY TO PRESIDENT EAMON DE VALERA OF IRELAND.

"I AM HAPPY," EISENHOWER SAID IN HIS MESSAGE, "TO CONVEY THE SINCERE GOOD WISHES AND FELICITATIONS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES AS WELL AS MY OWN PERSONAL REGARD TO YOUR EXCELLENCY AND TO THE PEOPLE OF IRELAND ON THIS NATIONAL HOLIDAY OF IRELAND."

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LONDON, NOV. 11 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SAYS THE AMERICAN CHAPEL IN ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL, DEDICATED TO FALLEN U. S. SERVICEMEN OF WORLD WAR II, INSPIRED IN HIM "A RENEWED DEDICATION TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO PROMOTE THE CAUSE OF PEACE."

S THE PRESIDENT WROTE TO THE ENGLISH SPEAKING UNION (CAPS E, S, U) TO EXPRESS HIS APPRECIATION TO THE BRITONS WHOSE CONTRIBUTIONS BUILT THE CHAPEL IN LONDON'S GREAT CATHEDRAL. EISENHOWER VISITED IT WHEN HE WAS IN LONDON IN AUGUST.

HIS LETTER, PUBLISHED IN THE CURRENT ISSUE OF THE UNION'S MAGAZINE, SAID:

"I CAN'T ADEQUATELY TELL YOU THE EMOTIONS THAT CROWDED MY MIND AND HEART WHEN FINALLY I HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF SEEING THE AMERICAN CHAPEL. IT IS EVEN MORE IMPRESSIVE AND BEAUTIFUL THAN I HAD VISUALIZED, AND A WONDERFUL TRIBUTE TO THE AMERICANS WHO LOST THEIR LIVES."

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NOV 10 1959

BY JAMES MARLOW
ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS ANALYST
WASHINGTON, NOV. 10 (AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE JOHN FOSTER DULLES DIED 170 DAYS AGO. IN THAT PERIOD OF LESS THAN SIX MONTHS AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY HAS UNDERGONE A KIND OF CONVULSION.
DULLES SO COMPLETELY DOMINATED FOREIGN POLICY HE MADE PRESIDENT EISENHOWER LOOK LIKE A SECONDARY FIGURE IN THIS GRANCH OF GOVERNMENT. NOW EISENHOWER DOMINATES IT AND DULLES' SUCCESSOR, CHRISTIAN A. HERTER, LOOKS SECONDARY.
DULLES WAS RIGID. EISENHOWER SEEMS MORE RECEPTIVE TO GIVE AND TAKE. DULLES WAS ALMOST JOVIAN IN HIS THUNDEROUS THREATS WHICH WERE NEVER CARRIED OUT, LIKE "MASSIVE RETALIATION." EISENHOWER TALKS SOFTER.
STIFF-ARM COMMUNISM BY RINGING IT WITH BASES. THAT WAS THE BASIC POLICY LAID DOWN BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON. IT WAS FOLLOWED OUT THE WINDOW BY DULLES. IT'S STILL BASIC AMERICAN POLICY.
BUT THERE'S BEEN A CHANGE--IN THE WAY THIS POLICY IS HANDLED. EISENHOWER APPEARS MORE WILLING TO CONSIDER THE NOTION THAT PERHAPS CONTAINMENT IS NOT THE ONLY COURSE IN DEALING WITH RUSSIA.
BUT THIS CHANGE ITSELF IS THE PRODUCT OF TWO PROFOUND CHANGES:
1. THE TRUMAN-ACHESON POLICY WAS CREATED TO STOP THE MAD-DOG TACTICS OF STALIN WHO PUSHED AND PROBED FOR WEAKNESSES. FOR EXAMPLE: THE KOREAN WAR.
RUSSIA UNDER PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV HAS BECOME INFINITELY MORE DANGEROUS, POTENTIALLY, THAN UNDER STALIN BUT NOW IT IS FAR LESS RECKLESS AND MILITARILY AGGRESSIVE.
2. TRUMAN AND ACHESON AND EVEN DULLES FOR A BRIEF PERIOD COULD RELY ON THE CONTAINMENT PROGRAM--BOMBERS WITH ATOMIC WEAPONS--IN THE PERIOD WHILE RUSSIA WAS STILL TRYING TO DEVELOP THAT MEANS OF DESTRUCTION.
CONTAINMENT BECAME LESS A SURE BET AS RUSSIA PRODUCED NOT ONLY THE SAME WEAPONS AS AMERICA BUT PUSHED AHEAD WITH MISSILES TO A DEGREE WHICH STARTLED THE WORLD AND SHOULD MAKE BOMBERS OBSOLETE.
SO AT THE TIME DULLES DIED THE COMMUNIST WORLD AROUND WHICH HE SOUGHT TO KEEP A FENCE OF BOMBERS HAD CHANGED IN BOTH ITS TACTICS AND ITS STRENGTH.
DULLES WAS THE MOST ACTIVE OF ALL SECRETARIES. HE TRAVELED END-LESSLY. IN TIME TO COME HISTORIANS--LIKE SOME OF DULLES' CONTEMPORARIES --MAY WONDER WHETHER HIS AMAZING ACTIVITY WAS NOT SOMETIMES A SUBSTI-TUTE FOR THINKING. FOR THIS REASON:

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WHAT WAS TRUE IN DULLES' TIME IS STILL TRUE NOW: THERE IS A LACK OF INITIATIVE IN FOREIGN POLICY AND DEALING WITH THE RUSSIANS. THE DULLES-EISENHOWER ACTIONS HAVE BEEN PRETTY MUCH REACTIONS TO RUSSIAN ACTIONS.
A WHOLE SERIES OF RECENT AND UPCOMING EVENTS--KHRUSHCHEV'S VISIT HERE, EISENHOWER'S PROMISED TRIP TO MOSCOW, THE SUMMIT CONFERENCE NEXT YEAR--ALL HAD THEIR ORIGIN IN RUSSIAN, NOT AMERICAN, INITIATIVE.
FOR EXAMPLE: KHRUSHCHEV LAST NOVEMBER DEMANDED THE ALLIES GET THEIR TROOPS OUT OF WEST BERLIN. THE ALLIES WERE FORCED TO FACE AN UNPLEA-SANT FACT THEY HADN'T BEEN COMPELLED TO LOOK AT UNTIL THE RUSSIANS GOT TRULY STRONG.
THEY WERE IN A BAD SPOT IF THEY HAD TO DEFEND BERLIN, 110 MILES INSIDE COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY. EVEN EISENHOWER ADMITTED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE IT WOULD BE PRACTICALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO MATCH THE RUSSIANS WITH GROUND TROOPS.
THEREFORE, UNLESS SOME PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT COULD BE FOUND, ANY SHOW OF RUSSIAN FORCE TO PUSH THE ALLIES OUT WOULD HAVE TO BE ENDURED OR ELSE MET BY AERIAL RETALIATION. AND THAT MIGHT MEAN ANOTHER WAR.
NO WONDER THE ALLIES WERE WILLING TO MAKE CONCESSIONS ON BERLIN. A DESIRE TO REACH SOME PEACEFUL UNDERSTANDING WITH KHRUSHCHEV, WHO INSTIGATED THE RUMPUS, WAS ONE OF THE REASONS FOR INVITING HIM HERE. EVERYTHING WHICH FOLLOWED STEMMED FROM THAT.
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PALM SPRINGS, CALIF., OCT 1 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HAS SENT REPORTS ON HIS TALKS WITH SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV TO BRITISH, FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN LEADERS, EISENHOWER'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C.HAGERTY TOLD NEWSMEN THAT REPORTS HAD BEEN DISPATCHED FROM WASHINGTON EARLIER THIS WEEK. THEY WENT TO BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN, FRENCH PRESIDENT CHARLES DE GAULLE AND WEST GERMANY'S PRIME MINISTER CONRAD ADENAUER.

HAGERTY PROVIDED NO DETAIL REGARDING CONTENT OF THE MESSAGES.

HE ADDED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN BRIEFING THE AMBASSADORS OF FRIENDLY NATIONS REGARDING THE EISENHOWER-KHRUSHCHEV DISCUSSIONS LAST WEEKEND.

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BY JAMES MARLOW
ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS ANALYST
WASHINGTON, SEPT. 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER NOW COMPLETELY DOMINATES AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY AND SEEMS TO BE SHOWING MORE INITIATIVE IN THAT FIELD THAN ANY TIME SINCE TAKING OFFICE IN 1953.
WHY?
A DETERMINATION TO DO ALL POSSIBLE IN HIS LAST 16 MONTHS IN OFFICE TO FIND PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS WITH RUSSIA MAY BE ONE REASON.
THERE ARE OTHERS.
FOR ONE THING, PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV HAS PUSHED EISENHOWER INTO HIS PRESENT ACTIVITY BY DELIBERATELY CREATING SUCH A BAD SITUATION OVER WEST BERLIN THAT A MEETING WITH HIM CAME TO LOOK LIKE THE BEST HOPE FOR A WAY OUT.
BUT HISTORIANS WILL LONG WONDER HOW EISENHOWER WOULD HAVE ACTED NOW AND IN THESE PAST SIX YEARS IF CHRISTIAN A. HERTER HAD BEEN SECRETARY OF STATE ALL THAT TIME AND JOHN FOSTER DULLES NEVER HAD BEEN SECRETARY.
THE SELF-EFFACING HERTER, A MILD AND PERHAPS EVEN SHY MAN, HAS BEEN ALMOST ENTIRELY OUT OF THE PUBLIC EYE SINCE TAKING OFFICE LAST SPRING.
FIRST, HE WAS OCCUPIED MANY WEEKS AT GENEVA NEGOTIATING WITH THE RUSSIANS, UNSUCCESSFULLY, OVER BERLIN. HE HASTENED BACK TO GO QUICKLY TO LATIN AMERICA FOR CONFERENCES. THEN HE RETURNED AND SET OFF FOR EUROPE WITH EISENHOWER.
TYPICALLY, EVER SINCE REACHING EUROPE WITH THE PRESIDENT LAST WEEK, HERTER HAS STAYED IN THE BACKGROUND. THERE WAS NO ONE TO SHARE THE SPOTLIGHT WITH EISENHOWER. IT WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN THAT WAY IF DULLES WERE SECRETARY.
JUST GO BACK FOUR YEARS--TO THE WEEKS BEFORE AND AFTER EISENHOWER'S 1955 SUMMIT CONFERENCE AT GENEVA--AND THE RECORDS SHOW HOW MUCH DULLES WAS IN THE PICTURE WITH THE PRESIDENT.
EXCEPT FOR THE ACTUAL SUMMIT MEETING ITSELF, DULLES WAS THE ONE WHO DOMINATED THE NEWS, NOT EISENHOWER. BEFORE THE SUMMIT MEETING HE EVEN SHARED A TV APPEARANCE WITH THE PRESIDENT, AND DID MOST OF THE TALKING.
IT SEEMS SAFE TO SAY THAT IF DULLES, WHO DIED LAST MAY, WERE ALIVE TODAY EISENHOWER WOULD NOT NOW BE HAVING THE NEWS ALL TO HIMSELF. IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN DULLES, NOT EISENHOWER, WHO WAS NOW TOURING ALLIED CAPITALS.
A VACUUM IN AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY BEGAN APPEARING EARLY THIS YEAR WHEN DULLES, DYING OF CANCER, FADED BEHIND HOSPITAL WALLS. THERE WAS NO ONE LEFT BUT EISENHOWER TO DIRECT OR DOMINATE THAT POLICY. AND EISENHOWER DID.

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HE CONTINUED TO DO SO AS DULLES DIED AND HERTER WAS OUT OF THE COUNTRY. THE PRESIDENT RELIED FAR MORE ON DULLES FOR GUIDANCE THAN HE APPEARS TO DO ON HERTER.
NEVERTHELESS, THROUGH THE FIRST HALF OF THIS YEAR THERE WAS NOT MUCH INITIATIVE HERE IN FOREIGN POLICY FOR THE SIMPLE REASON THAT KHRUSHCHEV HAD SEIZED IT AND KEPT IT.
FIRST, KHRUSCHEV CREATED A CRISIS OVER WEST BERLIN BY THREATENING TO FORCE ALLIED TROOPS OUT OF THE CITY IF THEY DIDN'T GO WILLINGLY. THEN THE EARLY MONTHS OF THE YEAR WERE TAKEN UP WITH TRYING TO GET KHRUSHCHEV, WHO WANTED A SUMMIT CONFERENCE, TO LET FOREIGN MINISTERS DISCUSS BERLIN.
HE CONTINUED TO KEEP THE ALLIES JUMPY WITH HIS BELLIGERENT STATEMENTS. WHEN HE FINALLY AGREED TO A FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE, IT WAS ALMOST CERTAIN TO FAIL ANYWAY BECAUSE HE WANTED IT TO. HE PREFERRED A SUMMIT MEETING.
AND WHEN IT DID FAIL IT WAS KHRUSHCHEV, SO FAR AS IS PUBLICLY KNOWN, WHO FIRST PROPOSED, LAST JULY 7, AN EXCHANGE OF VISITS BETWEEN HIM AND EISENHOWER. THE PRESIDENT AGREED.
AND ALL OF EISENHOWER'SACTIVITIES SINCE THEN HAVE BEEN TAKEN UP WITH PREPARATIONS FOR KHRUSHCHEV'S VISIT HERE IN MID-SEPTEMBER. THE PRESIDENT'S CONFERENCES WITH ALLIES IN EUROPE NOW ARE A PRELUDE TO MEETING KHRUSHCHEV.
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E-fp AUG 21 1959

BY JAMES MARLOW
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 21 (AP)-AMERICAN LEADERSHIP IS SHOWING A GROWING CONCERN ABOUT THE ABILITY OF THIS COUNTRY--AT THE RATE AND IN THE WAY WE ARE GOING--TO KEEP UP WITH RUSSIAN PROGRESS.

TIME WAS WHEN SOVIET CLAIMS TO ACHIEVEMENT WERE TAKEN WITH A GRAIN OF SALT IN THE UNITED STATES.

THAT ATTITUDE BEGAN TO CHANGE WHEN THE RUSSIANS SHOWED HOW FAR ADVANCED THEY WERE, INDUSTRIALLY AND SCIENTIFICALLY, FIRST BY MAKING THE ATOM BOMB, THEN THE HYDROGEN BOMB, AND THEN BEATING US INTO OUTER SPACE WITH THEIR SPUTNIKS IN 1957.

EARLIER IN THE WEEK THIS WRITER REPORTED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER:

1. IS CONCERNED ABOUT THE DRIVING URGE TO GET AHEAD WHICH THE RUSSIANS' SEVEN-YEAR PLAN IS GIVING THEM.

2. THINKS THIS COUNTRY NEEDS AN INCENTIVE TOWARD HARDER WORK--SOMETHING SIMILAR TO THE SEVEN-YEAR PLAN--WHICH HE BELIEVES IS PROVIDING THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE WITH THE MORAL EQUIVALENT OF WAR.

3. FEELS AMERICANS MUST BE INDUCED TO WORK HARDER, THINK MORE OF ACHIEVEMENT, LESS OF LEISURE AND MONEY.

NOW COMES THE DRAPER COMMITTEE--A 10-MAN GROUP HEADED BY INVESTMENT BANKER WILLIAM H. DRAPER JR.--WHICH SOUNDS LIKE A DIRECT ECHO OF THE PRESIDENT.

EISENHOWER CREATED THIS COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE UNITED STATES PROGRAM OF MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO OTHER COUNTRIES. ITS REPORT, MADE PUBLIC YESTERDAY, URGED EVEN BIGGER AID AND WENT MUCH BEYOND TALKING IN TERMS OF WEAPONS ALONE.

THE 10-MAN GROUP SOUGHT TO LOOK AT THE SOVIET CHALLENGE FROM MANY ANGLES--ITS PROGRESS, ITS PRODUCTIVE EXPANSION, ITS GOALS, AND ITS TACTICS--PLUS THE NEED IT CREATES FOR AMERICAN EFFORTS TO MATCH SOVIET EFFORTS.

THE COMMITTEE, NOTING THE RUSSIANS ARE MAINTAINING A HIGHER RATE OF GROWTH THAN THE UNITED STATES IN INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION AND IN THEIR TECHNOLOGY AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION, SAID:

"THEIR OBJECTIVE OF EQUALING AND EXCEEDING THE UNITED STATES IN SELECTED AREAS OF THEIR OWN CHOOSING HAS PROVIDED AN UNUSUAL PSYCHOLOGICAL STIMULATION TO THEIR PEOPLE WHICH WE MUST MORE THAN MATCH BY DEDICATION TO OUR OWN CAUSE.

"THESE TRENDS IN THE COMMUNIST WORLD CANNOT BE IGNORED. THEY SUGGEST THE NEED FOR REAL CONCERN ABOUT OUR PRESENT AND PROSPECTIVE RATES OF PROGRESS. . . WHICH WILL DETERMINE OUR FUTURE ABILITY TO COMPETE WITH COMMUNIST STATES. . .

"ALL THIS. . . REQUIRES A POSITIVE INDIVIDUAL AND NATIONAL DEDICATION, GREATER EMPHASIS ON HARD CONSTRUCTIVE WORK AND THOUGHT, LESS RATHER THAN MORE EMPHASIS ON LEISURE, MORE RATHER THAN LESS APPLICATION TO OUR TASKS."

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BUT HE WAS CONCERNED ABOUT THIS PROBLEM OF COMPETITION AND INCENTIVES MANY MONTHS AGO. HE ANNOUNCED IN HIS STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE LAST JANUARY HE WOULD CREATE A COMMITTEE TO STUDY AND THEN PROPOSE NATIONAL GOALS.

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THE RUSSIANS' SEVEN-YEAR PLAN IS IN THEIR CASE A NATIONAL GOAL. EISENHOWER IS READY TO NAME HIS COMMITTEE AS SOON AS HE CAN FIND ENOUGH PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS TO FINANCE ITS WORK. HE DOESN'T WANT THE GOVERNMENT TO FOOT THE BILL.

BUT NEITHER EISENHOWER NOR THE DRAPER COMMITTEE HAS COME UP WITH AN ANSWER TO THE QUESTION THEY RAISE:

HOW CAN AMERICANS--PEOPLE IN A FREE SOCIETY--BE INDUCED TO WORK HARDER AND THINK LESS OF LEISURE AND MONEY IN ORDER TO COMPETE WITH THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE LIVING UNDER A DICTATORSHIP WHICH CAN DIRECT, CONTROL AND COMPEL THEM?

THE DICTATORSHIP CONTROLS EVERYTHING: PEOPLE'S LIVES; THE WORK THEY DO; WHERE THEY WORK AND ON WHAT AND FOR HOW LONG; THE LUXURIES THEY CAN HAVE OR MUST DO WITHOUT; THEIR HOURS; PRICES; WAGES; AND THE MEANS OF PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

WE MAY BE ENTERING A PERIOD OF PUBLIC-BREAST BEATING FOR OUR FAILURES TO DO MORE AND DO WITHOUT MORE. BUT SELF-FLAGELLATION IS NEITHER AN ANSWER NOR A SUBSTITUTE FOR ACTION.

PERHAPS EISENHOWER'S COMMITTEE ON GOALS MAY PRODUCE SUGGESTIONS FOR THE OLD PHILOSOPHICAL, BUT NOW VERY REAL, PROBLEM OF HOW A FREE PEOPLE, WITH ALL THAT MEANS, CAN COMPETE WITH A PEOPLE CONTROLLED AND CENTRALLY DIRECTED.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 4 (AP)-HAITI'S AMBASSADOR SAID TODAY AFTER A WHITE HOUSE VISIT THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER PROBABLY WILL SEND PROPOSALS FOR "PEACE IN THE AMERICAS" TO A HEMISPHERE FOREIGN MINISTERS' MEETING STARTING AUG. 12 IN SANTIAGO, CHILE.

THE HAITIAN, ERNEST BONHOMME, DELIVERED TO EISENHOWER A LETTER FROM HIS PRESIDENT, FRANCOIS DUVALIER. BONHOMME DID NOT QUITE SAY SO, BUT HE INDICATED THE LETTER SUGGESTED GREATER U. S. HELP AND COOPERATION IN KEEPING INVADERS OUT OF HAITI.

"WE ARE SORT OF IN THE MIDDLE, WITH FORCES TO THE RIGHT AND TO THE LEFT, AND THERE ARE VERY OMINOUS RUMBLINGS IN THE CARIBBEAN," THE AMBASSADOR TOLD REPORTERS AFTER SEEING EISENHOWER.

HAITI GEOGRAPHICALLY IS BETWEEN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, WHERE THERE IS A STRONG MAN RIGHTIST DICTATORSHIP, AND CUBA, WITH FIDEL CASTRO'S REGIME.

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BY JAMES MARLOW
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WASHINGTON, APRIL 30 (AP)-IT WAS A PLEASANT, WARM, SUNNY DAY OUTSIDE AS PRESIDENT EISENHOWER ANSWERED QUESTIONS AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY. THE QUESTION ABOUT IRAQ WAS JUST ONE AMONG OTHERS.

AND THE PRESIDENT'S ANSWER DIDN'T TAKE LONG. YET THE QUESTION AND ANSWER THREW ACROSS THE ROOM A SOMBER SHADOW HARDLY NOTICEABLE AS THE REPORTERS PRESSED AHEAD WITH OTHER QUESTIONS OF THEIR OWN.

FOR IN IRAQ--AND WHAT MAY HAPPEN TO IT AND THE MIDDLE EAST LATER--LIES THE POSSIBILITY OF ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST DEFEATS SINCE THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA BEGAN.

JUST THE DAY BEFORE, ALLEN DULLES, HEAD OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, TOLD THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE: COMMUNISTS ARE IN ALMOST COMPLETE CONTROL IN IRAQ.

IF THEY ARE, THEN IT WOULD SEEM IN A SHORT TIME THEY SHOULD BE ABLE TO TAKE OVER. IF THEY DELAY, IT WILL BE BECAUSE OF THESE TWO THINGS:

1. THAT MOSCOW, FOR REASONS OF ITS OWN, WILL ORDER THE TAKE-OVER DELAYED.

2. THAT THE UNITED STATES AND ITS ALLIES CAN FIND SOME WAY AND SOME POLICY TO PREVENT IT. SEN. J. WILLIAM FULBRIGHT, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE, SAID THE SITUATION IS NOT HOPELESS IF SUCH A POLICY CAN BE FOUND.

BUT NONE IS IN SIGHT NOW.

TWO YEARS AGO IRAQ WAS LINKED WITH THE UNITED STATES THROUGH ITS DEFENSE AGREEMENT WITH IRAN, TURKEY, PAKISTAN. THAT WAS WHEN EISENHOWER ASKED, AND CONGRESS APPROVED, A DECLARATION HHAT THE PRESIDENT COULD USE U. S. TROOPS TO HELP ANY MID-EAST COUNTRY AGAINST ARMED AGGRESXION FROM ANY COUNTRY CONTROLLED BY INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM.

ONE OF THE WEAK SPOTS IN THAT POLICY HAS ALWAYS BEEN THIS: WHAT CAN THE UNITED STATES DO IF NATIVE COMMUNISTS TAKE OVER A COUNTRY FROM WITHIN, AND WITHOUT OBVIOUS OUTSIDE AGGRISSION?

LAST SUMMER WHEN THE IRAQI ARMY OVERTHREW THE GOVERNMENT--WHICH HAD LINKED ITSELF WITH THIS COUNTRY--BY KILLING THE KING, EISENHOWER SENT AMERICAN TROOPS INTO NEIGHBORING LEBANON.

LEBANON ITSELF AT THE TIME WAS TORN BY CIVIL WAR. EISENHOWER SAID HE ACTED THEN ON THE REQUEST OF THE LEBANESE PRESIDENT, CAMILLE CHAMOUN, TO GUARD AMERICAN LIVES AND PROTECT LEBANON AGAINST INDIRECT AGGRESSION.

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AND EVEN IF HE TRIED TO DISOWN THEM AT THE LAST MOMENT, HE MIGHT BE ELIMINATED TOO FAST TO DO WHAT THE LEBANESE PRESIDENT DID: ASK FOR AMERICAN HELP.

IF THE REDS TAKE OVER IN IRAQ, WHICH IS COMPLETELY SHUT OFF FROM BORDER CONTACT WITH RUSSIA BY ITS NEIGHBORS, THE SOVIETS WOULD HAVE THEIR FIRST FIRM FOOTHOLD IN THE MIDDLE EAST. IT WOULD BE A COLOSSAL DISASTER FOR THE WEST.

AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE THE PRESIDENT WAS ASKED IF THERE WAS ANY WAY TO SAVE IRAQ FROM SLIPPING BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN. THERE WAS NOTHING CONCRETE IN THE PRESIDENT'S ANSWER.

MOST OF WHAT HE SAID CAN BE SUMMED UP IN HIS LAST PARAGRAPH:

"IF THERE IS ANYTHING WE CAN DO TO PROMOTE BETTER RELATIONS WITH THIS COUNTRY WITHOUT MAKING OTHER ENEMIES IN THE SAME REGION, WHY THAT IS A GOOD POLICY TO FOLLOW. AND WE DO FOLLOW IT."

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AUGUSTA, GA., APRIL 20 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY HE HAS SENT NO MESSAGES TO TIBET'S REFUGEE DALAI LAMA.

PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY SAID HE HAD CHECKED ON REPORTS THAT TWO SUCH MESSAGES HAD BEEN DISPATCHED.

"IT ISN'T TRUE," SAID HAGERTY.

THE PRESS SECRETARY YESTERDAY DECLINED COMMENT ON THE REPORTS. HE SAID THEN THAT UNLESS SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZED HE NEVER HAD ANYTHING TO SAY REGARDING ANY EISENHOWER MESSAGE TO ANY OTHER CHIEF OF STATE.

THE DALAI LAMA, REGARDED BY THE TIBETAN PEOPLE AS A GOD-KING, HAS FLED TO INDIA WHERE LAST SATURDAY HE ACCUSED COMMUNIST CHINA OF VIOLATING ITS PLEDGE OF SELF-RULE FOR TIBET.

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BY JAMES MARLOW
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WASHINGTON, MARCH 20 (AP)-HISTORY MAY SHOW PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S GREATEST CONTRIBUTION TO THE PRESIDENCY WAS HIS RESTRAINT IN TIME OF DANGER AND CRITICAL STRESS. APPARENTLY, IT HAS JUST PAID OFF AGAIN.
IN A WEEK'S TIME THERE HAS BEEN A DEFINITE RELAXING OF TENSION OVER BERLIN.
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EISENHOWER HAS SHOWN RESTRAINT A NUMBER OF TIMES WHEN, THROUGH EMOTIONALISM OR AGGRESSIVENESS, HE COULD HAVE PRECIPITATED UNPREDICTABLE EVENTS, INCLUDING WAR. FOR EXAMPLE:
WHEN THE BRITISH, FRENCH AND ISRAELIS INVADED EGYPT IN 1956--AND RUSSIA THREATENED RETALIATION THAT WOULD HAVE MEANT WORLD WAR--EISENHOWER CRACKED DOWN ON THE ALLIES TO STOP AND GET OUT. THEY DID.
THE RED CHINESE--BENT ON DESTROYING CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST CHINESE ON FORMOSA--AT VARIOUS TIMES HAVE BOMBARDED THE OFFSHORE ISLANDS OF QUEMOY AND MATSU.
EISENHOWER COULD HAVE RESORTED TO EXTREME STEPS TO CRUSH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS. FOR INSTANCE, HE COULD HAVE ORDERED AMERICAN PLANES TO BOMBARD THE CHINESE MAINLAND.
THIS WOULD HAVE BEEN A GOOD BET TO BRING ON A WAR WITH RED CHINA'S ALLY, RUSSIA. INSTEAD, EISENHOWER USED LESS DRASTIC MEANS TO BOLSTER THE DEFENSE OF THE ISLANDS AND SWEAT OUT THE RED ATTACKS UNTIL THE COMMUNISTS QUIETED DOWN.
THE SAME WAS TRUE IN INDOCHINA WHEN NORTH VIET NAM WAS FALLING TO REBEL FORCES OF COMMUNIST HO CHI-MINH AND THE FRENCH COLONIAL MASTERS OF INDO CHINA WERE DISINTEGRATING.
EISENHOWER COULD HAVE SENT IN AMERICAN PLANES TO BAIL OUT THE FRENCH AND SMASH THE COMMUNISTS. THIS COULD HAVE MEANT WAR WITH RED CHINA. EISENHOWER DIDN'T.
TRUE, HALF OF VIETNAM WAS LOST TO THE REDS. BUT THE REST OF THE COUNTRY, FREED OF THE FRENCH AT LAST, BEGAN FOR THE FIRST TIME TO HAVE A DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENT OF ITS OWN.
IT CAN BE ARGUED THAT EISENHOWER'S RESTRAINTS WERE A SERIES OF NEGATIVE ACTIONS. BUT EISENHOWER, RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LEADERSHIP NOT ONLY OF THIS COUNTRY BUT OF THE WESTERN WORLD, USED RESTRAINT TO AVOID CATASTROPHES.
THERE HAVE BEEN OTHER INSTANCES, MOST RECENTLY THE BERLIN CRISIS CREATED BY PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV WHO DEMANDED LAST NOV. 27 THAT THE ALLIES GET THEIR TROOPS OUT OF WEST BERLIN. HE APPEARED TO BE SETTING A SIX-MONTHS' DEADLINE FOR IT.
THE WEST ASSUMED HE MEANT BY MAY 27. THE WEST STOOD FIRM IN REFUSING TO GET OUT, ALTHOUGH THE ALLIES EYED EACH OTHER CAREFULLY, WONDERING IF ANY OF THEM MIGHT WEAKEN.

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SINCE NOVEMBER KHRUSHCHEV HAS MADE PUZZLING STATEMENTS, SOME BELLIGERENT, SUCH AS WARNING THE WEST IT FACED WAR WITH RUSSIA IF THE ALLIES, REFUSING TO PULL OUT THEIR TROOPS, ATTEMPTED TO FORCE SUPPLIES THROUGH COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY TO THEIR BERLIN GARRISONS.
AT A COUPLE OF NEWS CONFERENCES IN THE PAST MONTH EISENHOWER SOUNDED A LITTLE HEATED WHEN TALKING OF KHRUSHCHEV AND HIS BERLIN DEMANDS. HE EVEN INDICATED THAT ANY RUSSIAN ATTEMPT TO THROW OUT THE ALLIES MIGHT MEAN NUCLEAR WAR.
AND HE POKED HARD AT KHRUSHCHEV, WHO KEPT INSISTING ON A SUMMIT CONFERENCE TO SETTLE THINGS, THAT SUCH A CONFERENCE WAS USELESS UNTIL THE RUSSIAN BEGAN SHOWING MORE SIGNS OF WILLINGNESS TO NEGOTIATE.
WHETHER OR NOT KHRUSHCHEV TOOK THIS AS A REAL NUDGE, ONLY HE KNOWS. BUT AT LEAST IN RECENT WEEKS HE HAS TALKED LESS BELLIGERENTLY, PUT MORE STRESS ON THE VALUE OF NEGOTIATIONS, AND REPEATEDLY SAID HE WASN'T SETTING A DEADLINE OR LAYING DOWN AN ULTIMATUM.
THEN LAST MONDAY NIGHT, AS IF RESPONDING TO INCREASING REASONABLENESS FROM KHRUSHCHEV, EISENHOWER IN HIS NATIONWIDE BROADCAST CAREFULLY AVOIDED ANY SIGN OF BELLIGERENCY OR IRRITATION.
HE WENT FURTHER THEN HE EVER HAD BEFORE, ALTHOUGH LAYING DOWN SOME CONDITIONS, IN SUGGESTING NOT ONLY THAT A SUMMIT CONFERENCE WAS POSSIBLE BUT THAT IT COULD BE HELD THIS SUMMER.
YESTERDAY KHRUSHCHEV CALLED A GIANT NEWS CONFERENCE. HE TOO SOUNDED REASONABLE AND PRAISED EISENHOWER FOR HIS REASONABLENESS.
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PARIS, DEC. 16 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HAS INVITED PREMIER DE GAULLE AGAIN TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES AT HIS CONVENIENCE.

THE AMERICAN EMBASSY SAID THAT SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES YESTERDAY ORALLY RENEWED TO DE GAULLE EISENHOWER'S HOPE OF LAST JULY THAT THE FRENCH PREMIER WOULD FIND IT POSSIBLE TO MAKE THE TRIP.

EXCEPT FOR A ONE-DAY TRIP TO WEST GERMANY, DE GAULLE HAS NOT BEEN OUT OF FRANCE OR ITS COLONIES SINCE TAKING OFFICE IN JUNE.

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FOREIGN MINISTERS

WASHINGTON, SEPT. 23 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY PLAYS HOST TO FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 21 AMERICAN REPUBLICS, MEETING HERE FOR THEIR FIRST REVIEW OF HEMISPHERIC ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL PROBLEMS SINCE 1951.

EISENHOWER INVITED THE MINISTERS TO A WHITE HOUSE LUNCHEON SCHEDULED TO BEGIN A SHORT TIME AFTER HE RETURNS TO WASHINGTON, ONCLUDING A THREE-WEEK VACATION AT NEWPORT, R.I.

THE TWO-DAY MINISTERS' CONFERENCE, ENDING TOMORROW, WILL BE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC.

AMONG SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED ARE A PROPOSAL BY BRAZIL'S PRESIDENT JUSCELINO KUBITSCHEK FOR A JOINT BATTLE AGAINST HEMISPHERIC UNDER-DEVELOPMENT, THE POSSIBILITY OF MORE FREQUENT GATHERINGS OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS, AND THE CREATION OF AN INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTION.

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THOMASVILLE, GA., FEB. 5 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS TODAY DECLINED COMMENT ON SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV'S PROPOSAL THAT EISENHOWER VISIT RUSSIA.

JAMES C. HAGERTY, WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD HEARD ABOUT MOSCOW NEWS DISPATCHES ON THE KHRUSHCHEV PROPOSAL IN A SPEECH TO THE 21ST COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS.

"WE HAVE NOT SEEN THE ACTUAL TEXT SO I HAVE NO COMMENT," HAGERTY SAID.

HE REPLIED "NO, NOT AS YET" WHEN ASKED WHETHER THE SOVIET UNION HAD EXTENDED ANY FORMAL INVITATION TO EISENHOWER.

THE PRESS SECRETARY ALSO DECLINED COMMENT WHEN ASKED WHETHER KHRUSHCHEV WOULD BE WELCOME IN THE UNITED STATES.

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(380)-NIGHT-LEAD MIDDLE EAST
BY JOHN SCALI
WASHINGTON, AUG.11 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER REVIEWED MIDDLE EASTERN PROBLEMS TODAY AMID INCREASING INDICATIONS THAT HE WOULD LAY SOME NEW PROPOSALS BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS PERSONALLY.
EISENHOWER MET FOR NEARLY TWO HOURS WITH SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES TO DISCUSS THE ECONOMIC-POLITICAL PACKAGE THE UNITED STATES WILL PROPOSE TO THE U. N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK.
THE WHITE HOUSE TERSELY DECLINED TO SHED ANY NEW LIGHT ON WHETHER THE PRESIDENT HAS DECIDED TO FLY TO NEW YORK FOR A DRAMATIC ONE-SHOT APPEARANCE BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY.
BUT INFORMED AUTHORITIES REPORTED A HARD-HITTING SPEECH HAS BEEN WRITTEN FOR THE PRESIDENT TO DELIVER.
THESE AUTHORITIES SAID IT CONSTITUTES A MAJOR ADDRESS WITH SOME SURPRISE PROPOSALS. BUT, THEY SAID, IT WOULD NOT HAVE QUITE THE WORLDWIDE IMPACT THAT EISENHOWER'S OPEN SKIES INSPECTION PROPOSAL HAD IN 1955.
SOME SPECULATION WAS THAT EISENHOWER WOULD DISCLOSE A DECISION TO WITHDRAW A BATTALION OF MARINES FROM THE 14,000 TROOPS THE UNITED STATES NOW HAS IN LEBANON.
SEN. JACOB JAVITS (R-NY) CALLED ON EISENHOWER TO HEAD THE AMERICAN DELEGATION TO THE EMERGENCY U. N. SESSION. EISENHOWER, HE SAID, SHOULD OFFER A POSITIVE PROGRAM INCLUDING BORDER GUARANTEES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND A NEW START TOWARD SETTLING THE ARAB REFUGEE PROBLEM.
TO AVOID TIPPING OFF THE AMERICAN STRATEGY, THE WHITE HOUSE AND STATE DEPARTMENT DREW AN EVEN TIGHTER SECRECY CURTAIN THAN USUAL AROUND EISENHOWER'S ROLE, AS WELL AS THE PROPOSALS THE GOVERNMENT WOULD SET FORTH.
DULLES ARRANGED TO LEAVE BY PLANE AT NOON TOMORROW TO BE ON HAND AS OPERATING CHIEF OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION WHEN DEBATE BEGINS WEDNESDAY MORNING.
DULLES WAS REPORTED READY TO STAY ON IN NEW YORK FOR SEVERAL WEEKS IF NECESSARY TO WIN ACCEPTANCE OF AMERICAN PROPOSALS AND BLOCK AN ANTICIPATED SOVIET PROPAGANDA ASSAULT AGAINST THEM.
U. S. PROPOSALS WERE UNDERSTOOD TO FIT WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK U. N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD OUTLINED SATURDAY AS THE PATH FOR MIDDLE EAST STABILITY.
HAMMARSKJOLD CALLED FOR MIDDLE EAST COUNTRIES TO PLEDGE NON-INTERFERENCE IN EACH OTHER'S AFFAIRS. HE COUPLED THIS WITH PLANS TO STEP UP UNITED NATIONS TRUCE ACTIVITIES IN THE MIDDLE EAST, INCLUDING LEBANON AND JORDAN. HE ALSO ADVOCATED A U. N. SUPERVISED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM.
EISENHOWER PUBLICLY APPEALED TO RUSSIA LAST WEEK TO COOPERATE THROUGH THE U. N. TOWARD GOALS SIMILAR TO THOSE HAMMARSKJOLD OUTLINED.
THE HOSTILE REACTION IN SOME ARAB COUNTRIES OVER THE WEEKEND TO HAMMARSKJOLD'S IDEAS STIRRED UP SOME WORRY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 9 (AP)-THE WHITE HOUSE KEPT ALIVE TODAY THE POSSIBILITY THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER MIGHT GO TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING ON THE MIDDLE EAST.

BUT PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY SAID THAT IF THE PRESIDENT GOES, HE WILL DO SO ONLY TO PRESENT THE UNITED STATES PROPOSALS. THEN, HE WOULD LEAVE THE REMAINDER OF THE WORK FOR SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES AND OTHERS, HAGERTY SAID.

HAGERTY PREDICTED THE AMERICAN PROPOSALS WOULD INVOLVE SOME "GOOD, SOUND, CONSTRUCTIVE" SUGGESTIONS AND SAID SOME OF THEM MAY COME AS A SURPRISE.

HE SAID THE PRESIDENT, WHO IS SPENDING THE WEEKEND AT HIS GETTYSBURG, PA., FARM, HAD BEEN IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH DULLES AND BOTH ARE WORKING ON PROPOSALS TO PRESENT TO THE ASSEMBLY.

THE PRESIDENT INDICATED AT HIS WEDNESDAY NEWS CONFERENCE THAT HE MIGHT ATTEND THE EMERGENCY U.S. SESSION TO BE HELD IN NEW YORK NEXT WEEK. HE SAID THERE WAS NO GENERAL INTENTION ON THE PART OF HEADS OF GOVERNMENT TO ATTEND, ADDING "IF I FOUND IT NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE, WHY I THINK I SHOULD, I COULD PARTICIPATE."

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FIRST LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN
WASHINGTON, JUNE 2 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY APPROVED A REPLY TO SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV'S PROPOSALS FOR DISCUSSIONS ON POLICING AN ATOMIC TEST SUSPENSION.
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WASHINGTON--1ST ADD FIRST LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN X X X SUSPENSION.
ANNOUNCING THIS AFTER AN HOUR-LONG MEETING WITH EISENHOWER, SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES SAID THE UNITED STATES HAS NO OBJECTION TO INCLUSION OF QUALIFIED POLISH, CZECH OR OTHER EXPERTS AS SUGGESTED BY KHRUSHCHEV IN A LETTER SATURDAY.
DULLES SAID HE AND THE PRESIDENT ALSO DISCUSSED THE RISE TO POWER OF GEN. CHARLES DE GAULLE IN FRANCE.
HE DECLARED "OUR HOPE AND EXPECTATION OF OBTAINING CLOSE AND CORDIAL RELATIONS WITH THE NEW FRENCH GOVERNMENT HEADED BY GEN. DE GAULLE."
ASKED BY REPORTERS WHETHER HE SAW ANY POSSIBILITY OF DE GAULLE'S PULLING FRANCE OUT OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION, DULLES REPLIED:
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"I UNDERSTAND GEN. DE GAULLE HAS SAID FRANCE WILL BE FAITHFUL TO ITS TREATY OBLIGATIONS, AND I WOULD ASSUME FRANCE WILL BE FAITHFUL TO ITS TREATY OBLIGATIONS."

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DULLES SAID HE AND THE PRESIDENT "TAKE A REASONABLY OPTIMISTIC VIEW" ON THE PROSPECTS OF ACTUALLY MEETING WITH THE SOVIETS FOR TECHNICAL TALKS ON SUPERVISION OF AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT TO SUSPEND NUCLEAR TESTS. HE THOUGHT THE TALKS COULD GET STARTED THIS MONTH.
"THE PRESIDENT," DULLES SAID, "APPROVED A PROPOSED REPLY (TO THE KHRUSHCHEV LETTER) SUBJECT TO COORDINATION WITH OUR BRITISH AND FRENCH FRIENDS AND WITH NATO."
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PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE

WASHINGTON, APRIL 10 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND BARONESS MARGUERITA STIERNSTEDT OF SWEDEN TODAY EXCHANGED VIEWS ON HOW TO PROMOTE BETTER UNDERSTANDING AMONG NATIONS.

THE BARONESS IS IN THE UNITED STATES AS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SWEDISH PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE PROGRAM, WHICH SHE HEADS.

SHE WAS ACCOMPANIED TO THE WHITE HOUSE BY CHARLES E. WILSON, FORMER BOARD CHAIRMAN OF GENERAL ELECTRIC AND NOW PRESIDENT OF THE PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE FOUNDATION IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE U. S. PROGRAM WAS STARTED BY EISENHOWER IN AN EFFORT TO IMPROVE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS THROUGH TRAVEL AND PERSONAL CONTACTS.

"OUR HOPE IS," THE BEAUTIFUL, YOUNG ASH BLONDE BARONESS TOLD NEWSMEN, "THAT PEOPLE BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN WILL GO OUT AND CALL ON US AND SEE THAT WE ARE FRIENDS.

"TO USE THE PRESIDENT'S OWN WORDS, 'TO SEE THAT WE AREN'T SUCH BAD FELLOWS.'"

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A36 THE MIDAFTERNOON MEETING BETWEEN EISENHOWER AND DULLES OPENS A BUSY 10 DAYS IN FOREIGN POLICY WORK FOR THE ADMINISTRATION.

IN MIDWEEK WEST GERMAN PRESIDENT THEODOR HEUSS IS DUE HERE FOR A VISIT ACCOMPANIED BY FOREIGN MINISTER HEINRICH VON BRENTANO. WHILE EISENHOWER AND HEUSS ARE NOT EXPECTED TO GO INTO GREAT DETAIL ON FOREIGN ISSUES, DULLES AND VON BRENTANO WILL REVIEW A RANGE OF QUESTIONS INCLUDING U.S.-GERMAN RELATIONS, NUCLEAR TESTS, SUMMIT CONFERENCE PROSPECTS AFD THE FRENCH SITUATION.

A WEEK FROM TODAY, BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN ARRIVES FOR TWO DAYS OF INTENSIVE DISCUSSION. BESIDES DEALING WITH FRENCH-ALLIED COOPERATION, THESE TALKS PROBABLY WILL CONCENTRATE ON THE PROBLEM OF OBTAINING AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT INCLUDING RUSSIA FOR SUSPENSION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS EXPERIMENTS.

THE IMMEDIATE ISSUE ON NUCLEAR TESTS IS HOW TO ORGANIZE A PROPOSED CONFERENCE OF SCIENTIFIC EXPERTS. THEIR TASK WILL BE TO TRY TO WORK OUT MEANS AGREEABLE TO BOTH RUSSIA AND THE WESTERN POWERS FOR DETECTING ANY VIOLATIONS ONCE AN AGREEMENT TO HALT TESTING IS RATIFIED.

THERE IS NO SUCH AGREEMENT NOW, ALTHOUGH RUSSIA ANNOUNCED EARLIER THIS YEAR THAT IT WAS STOPPING TESTS AND EISENHOWER AND MACMILLAN HAVE BEEN CONSIDERING A MORATORIUM.

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THE PRESIDENT IN A LETTER TO KHRUSHCHEV MAY 24 SUGGESTED THAT BOTH SIDES SEND SCIENTIFIC EXPERTS TO GENEVA IN THREE WEEKS TO WORK OUT THE DETECTION SYSTEM. HE PROPOSED INCLUDING BRITISH, FRENCH AND PROBABLY OTHER SCIENTISTS ALONG WITH THREE TOPFLIGHT AMERICAN PHYSICISTS.

KHRUSHCHEV REPLIED ON SATURDAY THAT HE WAS AGREEABLE TO THE PROPOSED STARTING TIME. ACCORDING TO OFFICIAL INFORMANTS, HE ALSO RAISED THE QUESTION OF INCLUDING POLISH AND CZECH SCIENTISTS AND POSSIBLY HAVING MEN ALSO FROM NEUTRAL COUNTRIES SUCH AS INDIA. HE CALLED FOR A FINAL REPORT IN ABOUT A MONTH--RATHER THAN TWO MONTHS--FROM THE OPENING DATE OF THE TECHNICAL SESSIONS.

U. S. OFFICIALS SAID THE KHRUSHCHEV PROPOSITION SEEMED TO RAISE NO DIFFICULT BARRIERS TO GETTING THE TALKS UNDER WAY IN MIDDLE OR LATE JUNE. KHRUSHCHEV DID SAY HE WOULD LIKE THE MEETING HELD IN MOSCOW, BUT PENDING A FURTHER STUDY OF THIS POINT OFFICIALS HERE THOUGHT THE PRESIDENT PROBABLY WOULD STICK TO HIS PROPOSAL OF GENEVA AS A NEUTRAL MEETING PLACE.

A CLUE TO DE GAULLE'S INTENTIONS MAY COME FROM HIS HANDLING OF THE AMERICAN PROPOSAL TO INCLUDE FRENCH SCIENTISTS IN THE TEST DETECTION STUDIES, AND HIS ATTITUDE TOWARD WESTERN SUMMIT NEGOTIATIONS WITH RUSSIA ALREADY UNDER WAY IN MOSCOW. THESE MAY PROVIDE THE FIRST MEASURE OF THE KIND OF COOPERATION WHICH WASHINGTON AND LONDON MAY EXPECT FROM PARIS UNDER HIS LEADERSHIP.

THE WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT LAST NIGHT STRUCK A FRIENDLY NOTE THROUGHOUT.

"WE HAVE BEEN WITNESSING WITH SYMPATHY AND UNDERSTANDING," IT SAID, "THE DIFFICULT DAYS THROUGH WHICH FRANCE HAS BEEN PASSING AND WE ARE GRATIFIED THAT THE FRENCH CRISIS IS NOW BEING RESOLVED.

"GEN. DE GAULLE HAS ASSUMED HEAVY RESPONSIBILITIES AT A CRITICAL JUNCTURE IN FRENCH HISTORY. OUR THOUGHTS GO OUT TO THE GREAT FRENCH NATION, WISHING IT WELL IN THE TASKS AHEAD.

"WE LOOK FORWARD TO THE CONTINUATION OF THE INTIMATE AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS WHICH HAVE ALWAYS CHARACTERIZED OUR LONG ASSOCIATION WITH FRANCE."

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BY JAMES MARLOW
ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS ANALYST

WASHINGTON, JAN. 16 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER ENTERS NEXT WEEK HIS SIXTH YEAR OF FIGHTING THE COLD WAR. HOW DOES IT LOOK? MORE INTENSE THAN WHEN HE STARTED.

NOTHING SHOWS IT BETTER THAN COMPARING WHAT HE SAID WHEN HE FIRST TOOK OFFICE IN 1953 WITH WHAT HE'S SAYING NOW.

HIS DREAM IN 1953 WAS TO CUT GOVERNMENT SPENDING AND BALANCE THE BUDGET. HE MANAGED TO MAKE THE BALANCE TWICE, IN 1956 AND 1957.

HE MAY NOT BE ABLE TO DO IT AGAIN FOR THE REMAINDER OF HIS SECOND TERM. HE HAD JUST SUBMITTED TO CONGRESS THE BIGGEST PEACETIME BUDGET IN HISTORY.

HE MANAGED TO GET AN END TO THE SHOOTING WAR HE INHERITED--THE ONE IN KOREA--BUT THE RUSSIANS HAVE BEEN STEPPING UP THE PACE OF THE COLD WAR STEADILY.

THEY'VE BEEN DOING IT WITH THEIR ECONOMIC AID TO OTHER COUNTRIES AND THEIR SENSATIONAL STRIDES IN WEAPONS DEVELOPMENT.

EISENHOWER'S RECORD BUDGET THIS YEAR IS THE RESULT--AN EFFORT TO KEEP PACE WITH RUSSIA. AND THERE'S NO END IN SIGHT.

IN HIS FIRST STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE IN 1953 EISENHOWER SAID:

"OUR PROBLEM IS TO ACHIEVE ADEQUATE MILITARY STRENGTH WITHIN THE LIMITS OF ENDURABLE STRAIN UPON OUR ECONOMY. TO AMASS MILITARY POWER WITHOUT REGARD TO ECONOMIC CAPACITY WOULD BE TO DEFEND OURSELVES AGAINST ONE KIND OF DISASTER BY INVITING ANOTHER. . ."

AND THEN HE WENT ON IN THAT MESSAGE TO SET HIS GOALS: AN END TO DEFICIT SPENDING; BALANCING THE BUDGET BY REDUCING GOVERNMENT EXPENSES UNTIL REVENUE PAID FOR THEM; AND WORKING TOWARD A TAX CUT.

HE MANAGED TO GET THROUGH A 7 1/2 BILLION DOLLAR TAX CUT IN 1954, WHEN KOREAN MILITARY SPENDING DROPPED. BUT THERE'S NO TAX CUT IN SIGHT THIS YEAR, ALTHOUGH CONGRESS YEARNS FOR IT IN THIS ELECTION YEAR.

AND, INSTEAD OF COMING DOWN, GOVERNMENT SPENDING HAS BEEN GOING UP. IN HIS 1958 MESSAGE TO CONGRESS JAN. 9 EISENHOWER, PERHAPS WISTFULLY, STILL EXPRESSED HOPE FOR BALANCING THE BUDGET BY KEEPING EXPENSES BELOW REVENUE.

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BUT HE SAID: "WHILE WE NOW BELIEVE THAT EXPECTED REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES WILL ROUGHLY BALANCE, OUR REAL PURPOSE WILL BE TO ACHIEVE ADEQUATE SECURITY, BUT ALWAYS WITH THE UTMOST REGARD FOR EFFICIENCY AND CAREFUL MANAGEMENT."

THAT DIDN'T SOUND QUITE AS POSITIVELY HOPEFUL AS THE 1953 MESSAGE, FOR ALREADY IN CONGRESS THERE IS DOUBT THAT SPENDING CAN BE KEPT WITHIN THE LIMITS OF REVENUE.

AND BY THE TIME YESTERDAY CAME AROUND EISENHOWER WAS TALKING OF THE POSSIBILITY OF DEFICIT SPENDING AGAIN.

HE SAID, IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE, THAT HE'D RATHER CONSIDER DEFICIT SPENDING THAN AN INCREASE IN TAXES THAT WOULD BALANCE THE BUDGET BY GIVING THE GOVERNMENT ADDED REVENUE.

AND THERE'S A REASON: AT A TIME LIKE THIS, WHEN THE ECONOMY HAS BEEN SLIPPING, TAKING MORE TAX MONEY FROM PEOPLE WOULD LEAVE THEM LESS SPENDING MONEY AND PERHAPS HURT THE ECONOMY MORE THAN DEFICIT SPENDING BY THE GOVERNMENT.

THIS WAS THE KIND OF DILEMMA EISENHOWER THOUGHT IN 1953 HE COULD BANISH. BUT AFTER ALL HIS TRYING, THANKS TO THE RUSSIANS, IT'S STARING HIM STRAIGHT IN THE FACE.

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FIVE YEARS AGO WHEN PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TOOK OFFICE, HE WAS JUBILANTLY HAILED BY FREE MEN EVERYWHERE. MILLIONS OF DEPRESSED PEOPLES LOOKED TOWARD HIM HOPEFULLY.

HAVE HIS FOREIGN POLICIES JUSTIFIED THIS ADULATION? HAS HE LED THE UNITED STATES AND ITS FRIENDS AND ALLIES TO GREATER PEACE, PLENTY AND WORLD STABILITY? OR ARE THERE DOUBTS IN IMPORTANT QUARTERS ABROAD THAT THE NECESSARY LEADERSHIP IS LACKING?

HOW DID HIS STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE JAN. 9, MEASURE UP TO HIS PLEDGE OF FIVE YEARS AGO--A PLEDGE TO WORK OUT A CLEAR CONSISTENT AND COHERENT FOREIGN POLICY?

TO FIND THE ANSWER TO THESE PROBING QUESTINS, JOHN M. HIGHTOWER, VETERAN AP DIPLOMATIC REPORTER, TOOK A LONG AND THOUGHTFUL LOOK AT THE EISENHOWER RECORD IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS. HIS ASSESSMENT, FOR AMS SUNDAY, JAN. 19, WILL MOVE SHORTLY ON THIS CIRCUIT.

GRAPHIC ART TO ILLUSTRATE THE STORY HAS BEEN MAILED TO APN PRINT SUBSCRIBERS. IT INCLUDES A WORLD MAP SHOWING FOREIGN POLICY HIGHLIGHTS, A PICTURE OF EISENHOWER AND DULLES WITH THEIR HEADS TOGETHER AND A COMBO OF VIETMINH TROOPS ENTERING HANOI AND OF RUSSIAN PLANES USED BY THE EGYPTIAN AIR FORCE.

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APN PRINT SUBSCRIBERS WILL BE MAILED (1) A WORLD MAP SHOWING EISENHOWER-DULLES FOREIGN POLICY HIGHLIGHTS, (2) A PICTURE OF EISENHOWER AND DULLES WITH THEIR HEADS TOGETHER, AND (3) A COMBO OF VIETMINH TROOPS ENTERING HANOI AFTER INDOCHINA SETTLEMENT AND OF RUSSIAN PLANES USED BY EGYPTIAN AIR FORCE

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(EDITOR'S NOTE--WHERE DOES THE UNITED STATES--AND THE FREE WORLD --STAND AFTER FIVE YEARS OF PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S FOREIGN POLICY? IS AMERICAN PRESTIGE ABROAD WAXING OR WANING? WHAT IMPACT HAVE RUSSIA'S MISSILES GAINS HAD ON U.S. EFFORTS FOR PEACE? HERE A VETERAN DIPLOMATIC REPORTER SCRUTINIZES THE EISENHOWER ERA IN WORLD AFFAIRS WITH PERCEPTION AND CANDOR.)

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BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, JAN. 18 (AP)-WHEN PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TOOK OVER DIRECTION OF THE NATION'S FOREIGN AFFAIRS FIVE YEARS AGO HE PLEDGED HIMSELF TO WORK OUT A POLICY WHICH WOULD BE CLEAR, CONSISTENT AND COHERENT. HE IS STILL TRYING TO FULFILL THAT PLEDGE.

THE KIND OF CONFIDENT GENERALITY WHICH EISENHOWER HELD OUT TO THE NATION IN HIS FIRST STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE, IN FACT, PROJECTED A DEVELOPMENT OF HIS ADMINISTRATION'S FOREIGN POLICIES WHICH PROBABLY NO PRESIDENT COULD EVER ACHIEVE.

IT REMAINS A STATEMENT OF A HIGH IDEAL WHICH TIME AND THE HARD REALITIES OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS HAS WARPED AND WORN TO FIT THE NEEDS OF PRACTICAL DIPLOMACY.

THE BASIC FOREIGN POLICY PROBLEMS WITH WHICH EISENHOWER WILL BE WRESTLING DURING HIS REMAINING TIME IN OFFICE WERE NOWHERE BETTER DEFINED THAN BY THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF IN HIS STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE TO CONGRESS JAN. 9.

"THERE ARE TWO TASKS CONFRONTING US," HE SAID, "THAT SO FAR OUT-WEIGH ALL OTHERS THAT I SHALL DEVOTE THIS YEAR'S MESSAGE ENTIRELY TO THEM. THE FIRST IS TO INSURE OUR SAFETY THROUGH STRENGTH . . . OUR SECOND TASK IS TO DO THE CONSTRUCTIVE WORK OF BUILDING A GENUINE PEACE."

THE FRAMEWORK IN WHICH EISENHOWER NOW CASTS THE PROBLEM OF WINNING THE ARMS RACE WITH RUSSIA EMBRACES NUCLEAR WARHEADS AND MISSILES RATHER THAN THE ATOMIC ARMS ALONE THAT WERE INVOLVED WHEN EISENHOWER CON-FRONTED THE PROBLEM FIVE YEARS AGO.

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THUS THE ISSUE OF PEACEMAKING HAS BEEN COMPLICATED BY RUSSIA'S STRIKING GAINS IN THE NEW WEAPONS OF THE SPACE AGE.

YET BASICALLY THE PROBLEMS ARE THE SAME ONES WHICH DOMINATED THE FIRST YEARS OF WHAT SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES ONCE CALLED THE EISENHOWER ERA IN WORLD AFFAIRS.

THE MOST NOTEWORTHY DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE SITUATION FIVE YEARS AGO AND THAT OF TODAY IS THUS NOT TO BE FOUND IN THE TASKS DEMANDING EFFECTIVE PRESIDENTIAL LEADERSHIP FOR POWER AND PEACE. BUT RATHER IT LIES IN THE WIDESPREAD DOUBT AMONG ALLIES AND NEUTRALS ALIKE AS TO WHETHER EISENHOWER AND DULLES ARE STILL CAPABLE OF DELIVERING THAT LEADERSHIP.

FIVE YEARS AGO EISENHOWER WAS THE KNIGHT IN SHINING ARMOR, NOT ONLY FOR MILLIONS OF AMERICANS BUT FOR MILLIONS OF DESPERATELY HOPEFUL CITIZENS IN OTHER LANDS.

"TODAY AFTER THREE SERIOUS ILLNESSES HE HAS SHOWN WEARINESS, HAS SHUNNED BOLD TACTICAL MOVES AND HAS PROCLAIMED Generalities AS POLICY ON SO MANY OCCASIONS THAT ALLIES AND FRIENDS WHO WOULD STILL LIKE TO FOLLOW HIS LEAD ARE SERIOUSLY TROUBLED. THEY WONDER WHETHER HE--AND THEY--ARE NOT BEING OUTRUN BY THE RUSSIANS; WHETHER IN FACT THE PRESIDENT IS REALLY MOVING AMERICAN AND FREE WORLD POLICY FORWARD AT ALL.

THROUGHOUT THE FIRST FIVE YEARS EISENHOWER AND HIS DIRECTOR OF DIPLOMACY, DULLES, SUCCEEDED IN HELPING LEAD THE WORLD INTO A STATE OF UNEASY PEACE. THE PRESIDENT HAD PROMISED TO BRING THE KOREAN WAR TO AN END EITHER BY NEGOTIATION OR GREATLY INCREASED MILITARY PRESSURE. NEGOTIATION DID THE TRICK.

IN SUCCEEDING MONTHS, BY DESIGN OR NECESSITY, HE WORKED TOWARD A SETTLEMENT OF THE COMMUNIST CONFLICT IN INDOCHINA (FRENCH WAR WEARINESS FORCED THE DECISION FOR PEACE), PACIFIED THE FORMOSAN AREA TO A VERY GREAT EXTENT AND TRIED WITHOUT ANY LASTING EFFECT TO MAKE AN END OF CONFLICT IN THE RESTLESS, VITALLY IMPORTANT MIDDLE EAST.

EISENHOWER HAS WORKED HARD TO PRESERVE HIS FIRST LOVE OF DIPLOMACY--THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE, WHICH HE SERVED AS SUPREME COMMANDER BEFORE MOVING INTO THE WHITE HOUSE--BUT HIS EFFORTS AND THOSE OF DULLES HAVE ENCOUNTERED FAILURES AS WELL AS SUCCESSES--A FACT DEMONSTRATED BY THE SUEZ AND TUNISIAN CRISES.

EISENHOWER HAS ALSO PRESIDED OVER A REVOLUTIONARY REVISION OF UNITED STATES MILITARY POWER WITH DIPLOMATIC AS WELL AS MILITARY EFFECTS. FOR WHILE HE WAS GETTING "MORE BANG FOR A BUCK" BY BUILDING MODERN WEAPONS INTO THE ARMED FORCES, HE WAS ALSO REDUCING MANPOWER. THIS HAD THE RESULT OF INSPIRING ALLIED COUNTRIES TO REDUCE THEIR OWN FORCES AND EXPENSES SO THAT, GENERALLY SPEAKING, THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE HAS NEVER PRODUCED AS MUCH MILITARY STRENGTH AS ITS LEADERS WANTED.

UNITED STATES ATOMIC POWER REMAINS THE GREAT DETERRENT AGAINST ANY MASSIVE ATTACK BY THE SOVIET UNION, BUT CONFIDENCE IN THIS DETERRENT BEYOND THE NEXT YEAR OR SO HAS BEEN SHAKEN BY RUSSIA'S PROGRESS IN THE FIELD OF LONG RANGE MISSILES.

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AT THE CLOSE OF THEIR FIFTH YEAR OF RUNNING FOREIGN AFFAIRS, EISENHOWER AND DULLES FACE PROBABLY THEIR GREATEST CHALLENGE. IT IS TO REASSERT UNITED STATES MILITARY--SCIENTIFIC SUPREMACY, RALLY ALLIED CONFIDENCE IN U.S. LEADERSHIP AND PERSUADE CONGRESS TO VOTE THE FOREIGN AID FUNDS AND ATOMIC SECRECY RELAXATION WHICH THEY CONSIDER NECESSARY FOR FIGHTING THE CONFLICT WITH RUSSIA OVER THE NEXT FEW YEARS.

THE EISENHOWER--DULLES HANDLING OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS NOT ALWAYS APPEARED TO FOLLOW A CLEAR POLICY IN THE JUDGMENT OF ITS CRITICS, AND EVEN ITS FRIENDS HAVE SOMETIMES BEEN HARD PRESSED TO FIT ACTIONS AND STATEMENTS INTO A CONSISTENT AND COHERENT GLOBAL DESIGN.

FOR EXAMPLE, THE REPUBLICAN ADMINISTRATION CAME INTO POWER AFTER ROUNDLY DENOUNCING THE PRIOR DEMOCRATIC RULE FOR YIELDING GROUND TO COMMUNISM IN SPITE OF THE FACT THAT IT FOUGHT THE COMMUNISTS TO SAVE SOUTH KOREA.

THE NEW PRESIDENT AND HIS SECRETARY OF STATE FOUND, HOWEVER, THAT THEIR POLICY OF "MASSIVE RETALIATION"--WITH LOCAL VARIATIONS--TO PROTECT REMOTE AREAS FROM COMMUNIST CONQUEST WAS NOT SUFFICIENT TO SAVE ALL INDOCHINA FOR WAR-WEARY FRANCE. IN THE ASIAN PEACE CONFERENCE OF 1954, WHICH THE UNITED STATES ATTENDED WITH OBVIOUS DISTASTE, THE WEST (WITHOUT FORMAL U.S. AGREEMENT) GAVE UP NORTHERN VIET NAM IN ORDER TO SAVE THE SOUTHERN TERRITORY AND END THE INDOCHINESE WAR.

A FEW MONTHS LATER THE UNITED STATES, IN PART OF A BROAD PLAN TO PACIFY THE FORMOSA AREA, GOT NATIONALIST CHINESE TROOPS OFF THE TACHAN ISLANDS. THE TERRITORY WAS NOT SIGNIFICANT BUT IT REPRESENTED A RETREAT.

FAR MORE SIGNIFICANT HAS BEEN THE INABILITY OF THE UNITED STATES TO KEEP COMMUNIST POWER OUT OF THE MIDDLE EAST. HISTORIANS WILL ARGUE FOR YEARS OVER WHAT HAPPENED AND WHY.

THE RECORD IS THAT A SERIES OF MISADVENTURES BETWEEN DULLES AND THE EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT ABDUL NASSER RESULTED IN THE SALE OF ARMS TO EGYPT BY RUSSIA. WITH THAT OPENING, RUSSIA ALSO SOLD ARMS TO SYRIA WHICH HAS NOW COME 70 OR 80 PER CENT UNDER SOVIET DOMINATION. THIS MAY PROVE TO BE RUSSIA'S GREATEST STEP TOWARD THE COMMUNIST GOAL OF WORLD WIDE CONTROL SINCE THE RED CONQUEST OF CHINA WAS CONSOLIDATED IN 1950.

THAT THE EISENHOWER-DULLES MIDDLE EAST POLICY SHOULD HAVE WOUND UP IN AN EGYPTIAN-SYRIAN BLIND ALLEY IS IRONICAL. ONE OF DULLES' FIRST ACTIONS AS SECRETARY OF STATE WAS TO VISIT THE MIDDLE EAST, SOFT-PEDAL U.S. SUPPORT FOR ISRAEL AND WOO ARAB GOODWILL, ESPECIALLY IN EGYPT.

BUT THE RECORD ALSO HAS OTHER IRONICAL TWISTS.

DULLES DENOUNCED THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION POLICY OF CONTAINMENT TOWARD RUSSIA AND TALKED A GREAT DEAL ABOUT LIBERATION OF SATELLITE PEOPLES FROM SOVIET RULE. BUT HE BACKED AWAY FROM ANY ACTIVE POLICY TO ACHIEVE LIBERATION.

WHEN HUNGARIAN FREEDOM FIGHTERS MADE THEIR ALL-OUT BID TO CAST OFF THE COMMUNIST YOKE, THE UNITED STATES MET THE CRISIS WITH A DECISION NOT TO RISK A MILITARY CONFLICT THROUGH INTERVENTION AND ISSUED [redacted] DENOUNCING SOVIET BRUTALITY.

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON FIRST ADD FOREIGN POLICY (A99) X X X SOVIET BRUTALITY.

IN HIS FIRST STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE IN FEBRUARY, 1953, EISENHOWER FOLLOWED UP CAMPAIGN PROMISES BY SAYING HE WOULD ASK CONGRESS TO REPUDIATE SECRET COMMITMENTS OF THE PAST WHICH "PERMIT" COMMUNIST ENSLAVEMENT OF PEOPLES. IT WAS A CLEAR REFERENCE TO THE MUCH DISPUTED YALTA AGREEMENT MADE BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT IN 1945.

WHEN THE ISSUE WAS DRAWN, HOWEVER, THE PRESIDENT ACTUALLY ASKED CONGRESS TO PASS A RESOLUTION CONDEMNING RUSSIA FOR VIOLATING THE YALTA PROVISIONS GUARANTEEING FREEDOM FOR EASTERN EUROPE.

IN THE SAME GENERAL CATEGORY, EISENHOWER AND DULLES CLIMAXED YEARS OF REPUBLICAN DENUNCIATION OF THE LOSS OF CHINA TO THE COMMUNISTS BY UNLEASHING GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-CHEK TO STRIKE OUT FROM HIS FORMOSAN STRONGHOLD AGAINST THE RED MAINLAND. THAT WAS IN FEBRUARY, 1953.

IT WAS NOT MANY MONTHS BEFORE CHIANG WAS "RE-LEASHED" BY AN AGREEMENT THAT HE WOULD NOT TAKE OTHER THAN MINOR AND LOCAL DEFENSIVE ACTIONS AGAINST CHINESE COMMUNIST POSITIONS WITHOUT U.S. CONSULTATION AND APPROVAL. EISENHOWER HAD DECIDED THAT HE COULD NOT AFFORD TO LET THE ARDENT CHINESE NATIONALISTS INVOLVE THE UNITED STATES IN WAR WITH RED CHINA.

THE MOST DIFFICULT TASK OF STATESMANSHIP WHICH HAS BURDENED EISENHOWER AND DULLES HAS BEEN THE TASK OF TRYING TO HOLD TOGETHER A LOOSE MILITARY ALLIANCE AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION WHILE SIMULTANEOUSLY HOLDING THE DOOR OPEN TO NEGOTIATIONS FOR A SETTLEMENT WITH RUSSIA. THE PROBLEM IS ALMOST A CONTRADICTION IN TERMS. WHEN FEARS OF RUSSIA GO UP, THE ALLIANCE PULLS TOGETHER; WHEN RUSSIA'S SMILE WARMS THE WORLD'S PEACE HOPES, THE ALLIANCE TENDS TO PULL APART.

THE HIGH POINT OF SOVIET SMILING PUT A SEVERE STRAIN ON COOPERATION WITHIN THE ATLANTIC COALITION. THAT CAME AT THE BIG FOUR SUMMIT SESSION AT GENEVA IN MID-1955. DULLES HAD RESISTED SUCH A MEETING, FEARING ITS EFFECTS WITHOUT THE PROSPECT OF SUITABLE ACHIEVEMENTS. EISENHOWER HAD LONG BEEN INTRIGUED BY THE PROSPECT OF MEETING RUSSIA'S POST-STALIN LEADERS--BULGANIN, KHRUSHCHEV AND ZHUKOV. BUT IT WAS AN URGENT DEMAND BY BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER EDEN WHICH TIPPED THE SCALES FINALLY IN FAVOR OF A CONFERENCE. EDEN WAS COMPELLED BY PUBLIC OPINION TO TALK WITH THE RUSSIANS.

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THE GENEVA CONFERENCE PRODUCED NO DIPLOMATIC SETTLEMENTS. IT CREATED THE IMPRESSION THAT RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES HAD FINALLY CONVINCED EACH OTHER THAT NEITHER WANTED AN ATOMIC WAR. IN THIS HOPEFUL ATMOSPHERE, THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE LOST VIGOR AND FORCE. THERE WAS MUCH MORE CONCERN ABOUT HOW TO GET ALONG WITH THE SOVIET UNION THAN HOW TO KEEP THE WESTERN COALITION STRONG.

THAT HEADY HOPEFULNESS WAS LARGELY DESTROYED IN THE HUNGARIAN CRISIS OF NOVEMBER, 1956. IT WENT OUT THE WINDOW ALTOGETHER WITH THE BREAK-DOWN OF DISARMAMENT TALKS AT LONDON IN SEPTEMBER, 1957. MEANWHILE THE U.S. SPLIT WITH BRITAIN AND FRANCE OVER THEIR ATTACK ON EGYPT HAD NOT ONLY SPLIT THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE BUT SHAKEN THE FAITH OF THE MOST CONFIDENT LEADERS IN ITS DURABILITY. THUS BEGAN A SERIES OF MEETINGS AMONG ALLIED LEADERS WHICH FINALLY CULMINATED IN THE OCTOBER PROPOSAL FOR A SUMMIT SESSION OF ALL THE NATO HEADS OF GOVERNMENT.

EVEN THAT PARTICULAR WAY OF TRYING TO PROMOTE AND DEMONSTRATE WESTERN SOLIDARITY DID NOT WIN APPROVAL UNTIL THE WESTERN POWERS, AND ESPECIALLY THE UNITED STATES, RECEIVED THE MOST JARRING BLOW OF ALL.

IT WAS RUSSIA'S SUCCESSFUL LAUNCHING OF AN EARTH SATELLITE MONTHS AHEAD OF THE UNITED STATES SCIENTIFICALLY, IT PUT THE SOVIET UNION FAR OUT AHEAD. MILITARILY AND DIPLOMATICALLY, IT MEANT THAT THE LEAD OF THE WESTERN NATIONS, SO LONG CONFIDENTLY MAINTAINED, WAS THREATENED AS NEVER BEFORE.

TO SOME EISENHOWER OFFICIALS IT ALSO MEANT THAT THE VERY SURVIVAL OF THE WEST REQUIRED BOLDER AND MORE DETERMINED EFFORTS TO BALANCE THE DICTATORIAL POWER OF THE SOVIET BLOC WITH VOLUNTARILY POOLED RESOURCES OF THE FREE WORLD.

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(300) FIRST LEAD EISENHOWER

WASHINGTON, DEC. 23 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER MET WITH THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL TODAY, PRESUMABLY TO DISCUSS THE REPORT HE WILL GIVE THE NATION TONIGHT ON THE NATO MEETING IN PARIS.

THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES WILL JOIN IN THE HALF HOUR RADIO-TELEVISION REPORT, STARTING AT 8:30 P. M. EST.

WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY SAID HE EXPECTED BOTH MEN WOULD SPEAK INFORMALLY--FROM NOTES, RATHER THAN FROM PREPARED TEXTS.

DULLES CONFERRED PRIVATELY WITH THE PRESIDENT BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING.

HAGERTY WAS ASKED WHETHER THERE WAS ANY DISCUSSION AT THE COUNCIL MEETING OF THE GAITHER REPORT. THIS REPORT IS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE PICTURED THE UNITED STATES AA FACING THE GRAVEST DANGER IN ITS HISTORY AS A RESULT OF SOVIET GAINS IN WEAPONS AND OTHER FIELDS.

THE REPORT, WHICH HAS NEVER BEEN MADE PUBLIC, WAS PREPARED BY A SPECIAL STUDY COMMISSION HEADED BY H. ROWAN GAITHER, SAN FRANCISCO LAWYER.

HAGERTY SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW WHETHER THE SECURITY COUNCIL DISCUSSED THE REPORT. HE ADDED: "I DO NOT DISCUSS SECURITY COUNCIL MATTERS UNLESS THEY TELL ME THAT I CAN."

HE NOTED, TOO, THAT THE SESSION BEGAN ONLY MOMENTS BEFORE HE TALKED WITH NEWSMEN.

HAGERTY SAID HE EXPECTS THE PRESIDENT WILL LEAVE FOR GETTYSBURG, PA., WHERE HE HAS A FARM, NOT LONG AFTER CHRISTMAS--PERHAPS THIS WEEKEND OR EARLIER.

WHENEVER THE PRESIDENT DOES GO, IT WILL BE A SORT OF WORK-VACATION SINCE HAGERTY WILL BE GOING ALONG AND HE TOLD NEWSMEN: "I THINK WE WILL HAVE SOME WORK."

HAGERTY ALSO SAID HE DOES NOT LOOK FOR ANY FURTHER CONFERENCES BETWEEN EISENHOWER AND CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS BEFORE THE NEW YEAR. HE SAID NO DECISION HAS BEEN MADE AS TO WHETHER THERE WILL BE SUCH MEETINGS BEFORE CONGRESS RECONVENES JAN. 7.

EISENHOWER'S RADIO-TV REPORT TONIGHT WILL PRESENT HIS FIRST PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE NATO CONFERENCE SINCE HIS RETURN FROM PARIS.

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THE CONFERENCE, SEEKING UNITY AMONG THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNTRIES IN THE FACE OF RUSSIA'S MISSILE DEVELOPMENTS, ADOPTED A TWO-WAY APPROACH. THE NATO CHIEFS OF STATE APPROVED THE U. S. IDEA OF BASING INTERMEDIATE RANGE MISSILES IN EUROPE AND AT THE SAME TIME CALLED FOR FURTHER DISARMAMENT NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE RUSSIANS.

RUSSIA ALREADY HAS INDICATED IT IS NOT INTERESTED IN A NATO-PROPOSED MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS TO DISCUSS DISARMAMENT. SOVIET LEADERS CALLED INSTEAD FOR A SPECIAL UNITED NATIONS SESSION, OR SOME OTHER FULL SCALE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE.

THE EISENHOWER-DULLES BROADCAST WILL BE CARRIED "LIVE" AT 8:30 P.M. (EST) BY CBS-TV AND ALL FOUR MAJOR RADIO NETWORKS. ABC-TV WILL CARRY THE PROGRAM ON FILM AT 10:30 P.M., AND NBC WILL SHOW IT AT 11:30 P.M.

EISENHOWER'S BUSINESS SCHEDULE FOR TODAY INCLUDED A 10:30 A.M. MEETING WITH THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL, AT WHICH SOME ASPECTS OF THE NATO MEETING UNDOUBTEDLY WERE SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION.

THERE WERE NO WHITE HOUSE CALLERS LISTED FOR THE AFTERNOON--APPARENTLY TO GIVE EISENHOWER TIME TO COMPLETE WORK ON THE BROADCAST.

THE PRESIDENT RETURNED LAST FRIDAY FROM EUROPE, AND HE HAS NOT MADE ANY PUBLIC STATEMENTS ABOUT THE NATO MEETING SINCE HIS RETURN.

DULLES TOLD NEWSMEN UPON HIS ARRIVAL HERE SATURDAY THAT THE 15-NATION ATLANTIC PACT MEETING "TOOK ALL THE ESSENTIAL DECISIONS FOR WHICH WE HAD HOPED."

THE SECRETARY SAID, IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, THAT HE DID NOT FEEL "DISCOURAGED OR UNHAPPY" BECAUSE THE NATO CONFERENCE ACCEPTED, IN PRINCIPLE ONLY, THE IDEA OF ESTABLISHING U. S. MISSILE BASES OVERSEAS.

HE ADDED:

"WE GOT EVERYTHING WE HOPED FOR IN THAT RESPECT, IN FACT SOMEWHAT MORE."

DULLES SAID HE HAD NO COMMENT ON THE SOVIET PROPOSALS FOR AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT, RATHER THAN THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING NATO POWERS SUGGESTED.

NEW YORK GOV. AVERELL HARRIMAN CRITICIZED DULLES LAST NIGHT FOR, AS HARRIMAN PUT IT, NOT FULLY PREPARING THE PRESIDENT FOR THE PARIS CONFERENCE. THE GOVERNOR SAID THAT WAS "UNFORTUNATE AND UNFAIR."

BUT, HARRIMAN ADDED, EISENHOWER IS "A GREAT SALESMAN OF OUR AMERICAN IDEALS," ANDHE PRAISED THE PRESIDENT FOR "PULLING THE NATO CONFERENCE TOGETHER."

HARRIMAN SPOKE IN NEW YORK IN AN INTERVIEW ON STATION WABC-TV.

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ANNAPOLIS,MD., OCT. 26-(AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WITHHELD IMMEDIATE COMMENT TODAY ON MOSCOW'S RELIEF OF GEORGI ZHUKOV, EISENHOWER'S FORMER COMRADE IN ARMS, AS SOVIET DEFENSE MINISTER.

"NO COMMENT AT THIS TIME BECAUSE WE DON'T KNOW ENOUGH ABOUT IT YET," WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY TOLD NEWSMEN AFTER CONFERRING WITH EISENHOWER.

THE PRESIDENT WAS IN A BOX ON THE 50-YARD LINE AT THOMPSON STADIUM WATCHING A FOOTBALL GAME BETWEEN THE ARMY AND NAVY 150-POUND TEAMS WHEN NEWSMEN RELAYED THROUGH HAGERTY WORD THAT MOSCOW HAD JUST ANNOUNCED ZHUKOV'S REPLACEMENT BY MARSHAL RODION Y. MALINOVSKY.

BRIG. GEN. ANDREW J. GOODPASTER, ONE OF EISENHOWER'S SECURITY AIDES, IMMEDIATELY WENT BELOW THE STANDS TO TELEPHONE THE WHITE HOUSE AND FIND OUT WHETHER ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE THERE.

IT WAS AFTER HIS RETURN THAT HAGERTY TOLD NEWSMEN EISENHOWER WOULD NOT HAVE ANY IMMEDIATE COMMENT.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON ALSO WITHHELD COMMENT ON THE MOSCOW ACTION PENDING FURTHER INFORMATION.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 8 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS REGARDED IN THE MIDDLE EAST AS THE "GREAT WORLD STATESMAN OF THIS PERIOD," DR. EDWARD L.R.ELSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAN FRIENDS OF THE MIDDLE EAST, SAID TODAY UPON HIS RETURN BY PLANE FROM A SIX-WEEK TOUR OF THAT AREA.

DR. ELSON IS MINISTER OF THE NATIONAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, WASHINGTON, D.C., AND PASTOR TO PRESIDENT AND MRS. EISENHOWER.

HE SAID THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS HELD IN "HIGH PERSONAL ESTEEM AS A MAN OF SUPERIOR CHARACTER, HIGH INTEGRITY, SPIRITUAL SENSITIVENESS AND DEDICATION TO THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE."

HE ADDED THAT "THE EISENHOWER DOCTRINE HAS HAD A STABILIZING INFLUENCE. EVERYWHERE IT IS A FACTOR TO BE RECKONED WITH IN ANY POLITICAL OR MILITARY MOVE."

HE SAID THAT PEOPLE HE HAD TALKED WITH IN ARAB COUNTRIES AND ISRAEL WERE INCLINED TO THINK THERE MIGHT BE A COMMON MEETING GROUND FOR AGREEMENT. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, "BUT THIS HAS BEEN VERY LARGELY NEUTRALIZED BY PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS, EMOTIONAL CONDITIONING AND FANATICISM WHICH PRECLUDE ANY IMMEDIATE CONSTRUCTIVE SITUATION WITHOUT SOME OUTSIDE AGENCY."

OF THE MIDDLE EAST, DR. ELSON SAID "THERE ARE NOTABLE CHANGES THROUGHOUT THE WHOLE AREA. A NEW DYNAMISM IS IN THE AIR. IN EVERY NATION THERE IS THE LAUDABLE ASPIRATION FOR SELF-ELEVATION, SELF-FULFILLMENT AND THE ACHIEVEMENT OF A NATIONAL DESTINY."

ISRAEL AND HER ARAB NEIGHBORS, DR. ELSON SAID, LIVE IN A "STATE OF PATHOLOGICAL FEAR."

"PREOCCUPATION WITH THESE INTRA-MIDDLE EAST FEARS TENDS TO NUMB THE PEOPLES TO THE TOXINS OF COMMUNISM," HE CONTINUED, "COMMUNISTS EXPLOIT THE INSTABILITY ENGENDERED BY MIDDLE EAST TENSIONS."

DR. ELSON SAID HE HAD BEEN RECEIVED IN A FRIENDLY AND CORDIAL MANNER BY EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT GAMAL ABDEL NASSER WHO TOLD HIM PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS ONE LEADER HE CAN TRUST.

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NEW YORK, MAY 22 (AP)-LEADERS OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES PRAISED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER LAST NIGHT FOR "CLEAR, FORTHRIGHT LEADERSHIP" ON THE FOREIGN AID ISSUE.

A TELEGRAM SENT TO THE WHITE HOUSE BY THE COUNCIL LEADERS JUST AFTER THE PRESIDENT'S RADIO AND TELEVISION ADDRESS TO THE NATION SAID IN PART:

"WE HOPE YOUR LEADERSHIP WILL BRING FAVORABLE ACTIVE SUPPORT AMONG CHURCH PEOPLE, THE CONGRESS AND TH CITIZENS OF OUR LAND."

THOSE SIGNING THE TELEGRAM WERE DR. EUGENE CARSON BLAKE, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL; DR. ROSWELL P. BARNES, ASSOCIATE GENERAL SECRETARY, AND DR. KENNETH L. MAXWELL, DIRECTOR OF THE COUNCIL'S DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS.

THE COUNCIL'S 30 PROTESTANT AND EASTERN ORTHODOX CHURCH BODIES HAVE MORE THAN 35 MILLION MEMBERS.

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(140) ST. PAUL, MINN., MAY 10 (AP)-REP. SIMPSON (R-PA) SAID TONIGHT THAT "POLITICALLY-INSPIRED" CRITICISM OF PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S FOREIGN POLICY PROGRAM IS "A GROWING MENACE TO PERMANENT PEACE."

SIMPSON MENTIONED NO NAMES BUT ASSERTED: "AS A RESULT OF RECENT STATEMENTS FROM DEMOCRATIC SPOKESMAN IN WASHINGTON, D.C., AND ELSEWHERE, IT IS OBVIOUS TO ME THAT PEACE HAS BEEN ABANDONED FOR POLITICS BY OUR OPPONENTS."

SIMPSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, MADE HIS REMARKS IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR THE STATE CONVENTION OF THE MINNESOTA FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN.

"DISCREDITED CRITICS WHOSE BLUNDERING LED US INTO THE DEBACLE OF KOREA ARE NOW USING PUBLIC FORUMS TO STIR UP FEARS AND ANIMOSITIES AMONG OUR ALLIES CONCERNING THE PEACEFUL INTENTIONS OF THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION," HE SAID.

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BY JAMES MARLOW
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WASHINGTON, APRIL 23 (AP)-IT'S WHAT HAPPENS BEHIND THE SCENES--THE UNPUBLICIZED ACTIVITY--THAT MAKES IT TOUGH TO APPRAISE FULLY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S HANDLING OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

IT CAN BE TAKEN FOR GRANTED THAT THIS COUNTRY, WITH ITS AMBASSADORS ALL OVER THE WORLD AND A SEEMINGLY BOTTOMLESS POCKETBOOK, IS TALKING QUIETLY WITH FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS WHERE IT CAN TO WIN THEM OVER AND AWAY FROM RUSSIA.

EACH COUNTRY'S OWN SELF-INTEREST COMES FIRST, NO MATTER HOW NOBLE ITS PROCLAMATIONS. THAT INCLUDES THIS COUNTRY. SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES LONG AGO SAID AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY IS BASED ON "ENLIGHTENED" SELF-INTEREST.

KING SAUD OF SAUDI ARABIA AND KING HUSSEIN OF JORDAN MAY BE TWO RECENT EXAMPLES OF MEN WHO HAVE BEEN TALKED TO PERSUASIVELY BEHIND DOORS ALTHOUGH WHAT WAS SAID, IF ANYTHING, IS NOT LIKELY TO BE KNOWN FOR YEARS.

SAUD WAS HERE A FEW WEEKS AGO AND HAD PRIVATE TALKS WITH EISENHOWER. HE HAD BEEN LINED UP--AT LEAST ON THE SURFACE--WITH EGYPT'S ANTI-WESTERN PRESIDENT NASSER.

SAUD AND NASSER HAD ONE THING IN COMMON: BOTH WERE HOSTILE TO ISRAEL. AND THE PAN-ARABISM AND ARAB NATIONALISM PREACHED BY NASSER COULD, IF IT WORKED, STRENGTHEN ALL THE ARABS' BARGAINING POSITION WITH THE REST OF THE WORLD.

BUT NASSER, IN HIS ANTI-WESTERNISM, WAS LEADING THE ARAB WORLD DOWN A DANGEROUS ROAD TOWARD RELIANCE UPON RUSSIA. SAUD HAD EVERYTHING TO LOSE IN THAT DIRECTION, INCLUDING HIS LIFE AND HIS MONEY.

WITH THE COMMUNISTS MOVING IN ANYWHERE, A KING HAS NO FUTURE. AND SAUD HAD A LOT TO LOSE: 300 MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR FROM AMERICAN COMPANIES TAKING OIL OUT OF SAUDI ARABIA, AMERICAN GOVERNMENT MONEY FOR PERMITTING A UNITED STATES AIR BASE THERE; AND MILITARY HELP THAT WILL KEEP HIM ON THE THRONE.

SINCE HIS RETURN TO THE MIDDLE EAST SAUD, ALTHOUGH HE HAD A CONFERENCE WITH NASSER, HAS DONE NOTHING TO STRENGTHEN NASSER'S POSITION. FROM REPORTS REACHING HERE, HE HAS SIDED WITH KING HUSSEIN OF JORDAN.

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REPORTS REACHING HERE, HE HAS SIDED WITH KING HUSSEIN OF JORDAN.

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HUSSEIN WAS IN NASSER'S CAMP, TOO. BUT HE HAD HIS CROWN TO LOSE IN A HURRY IF HE PERSISTED IN FOLLOWING NASSER AND LETTING THE EGYPTIAN STEER HIM CLEAR AWAY FROM AMERICAN HELP.

JORDAN NEEDS OUTSIDE MONEY TO SURVIVE. AND HUSSEIN NEEDS THE MONEY TO PAY HIS ARMY. HE WASN'T GETTING ENOUGH MONEY FROM NASSER AND OTHER ARAB COUNTRIES TO ACCOMPLISH EITHER, ALTHOUGH EGYPT, SAUDI ARABIA AND SYRIA HAD VOLUNTEERED TO PROVIDE THE AID WHICH BRITAIN DISCONTINUED. AND LAST WEEK HUSSEIN FIRED HIS PRIME MINISTER AFTER THE LATTER SPURNED HELP FROM EISENHOWER'S MID-EAST PROGRAM.

HUSSEIN'S CRISIS ISN'T OVER. THE PRO-NASSERITES IN JORDAN, AND THE COMMUNISTS, OPEN OR CONCEALED, MAY YET DO THE KING IN. BUT HIS GOVERNMENT SAID YESTERDAY IT WOULD WELCOME TALKS ON AMERICAN AID.

IF THIS KEEPS UP--ONE ARAB STATE AFTER ANOTHER THINKING OF ITSELF IN PREFERENCE TO NASSER--THE EGYPTIAN MAY FIND HIMSELF ISOLATED IN THE PAN-ARABIC WORLD HE WANTED TO LEAD.

IF THAT COMES TRUE, THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION, USING PERSUASION AND AMERICAN MONEY, WILL HAVE MADE A PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.

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BY JAMES MARLOW
ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS ANALYST
WASHINGTON, FEB. 27 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS LIKE A JUGGLER TRYING TO KEEP FOUR GLASS BALLS IN THE AIR AT THE SAME TIME.

FORMER PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAYS HE SYMPATHIZES WITH EISENHOWER BECAUSE A PRESIDENT HAS "MORE TROUBLES THAN ANY MAN IN THE WORLD."

TRUMAN DOESN'T AGREE WITH HOW EISENHOWER IS HANDLING SOME OF HIS TROUBLES. AND, BECAUSE OTHER PEOPLE FEEL THE SAME WAY, THAT'S ONE MORE TROUBLE FOR EISENHOWER.

HERE ARE THE FOUR GLASS BALLS:

1. EISENHOWER IS TRYING TO KEEP RUSSIA--OR AT LEAST RUSSIAN INFLUENCE--OUT OF THE ARAB WORLD OF THE MIDDLE EAST WHILE INCREASING AMERICAN INFLUENCE THERE.

2. HE'S TRYING TO GET ISRAELI TROOPS OUT OF EGYPT WITHOUT FLATLY PROMISING THIS COUNTRY WILL KEEP EGYPT FROM ATTACKING ISRAEL ONCE THE LATTER WITHDRAWS, SINCE SUCH PROMISES WOULD CERTAINLY INFLAME EGYPT AND PERHAPS THE MIDDLE EAST.

3. WHILE JUGGLING THOSE BALLS, HE'S WAITING FOR KING SAUD OF SAUDI ARABIA, WHO RECENTLY VISITED EISENHOWER, TO TALK THE ARABS INTO STAYING AWAY FROM RUSSIA AND INCREASING THEIR CONFIDENCE IN THE GOOD WILL OF THE UNITED STATES.

4. BUT IN THE EFFORT TO GET ISRAEL OUT OF EGYPT, THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION HAS INDICATED IT MIGHT CONSIDER SANCTIONS AGAINST ISRAEL IF SHE DOESN'T WITHDRAW. THIS MAY PLEASE THE ARABS BUT IT HAS ANGERED FRIENDS OF ISRAEL, INCLUDING MANY PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY. AMONG THEM ARE LEADERS OF BOTH PARTIES IN CONGRESS.

IN THE END IT MAY TURN OUT THAT EISENHOWER--WHO IS PLACING A LOT OF RELIANCE ON THE UNITED NATIONS TO SOLVE THE ISRAELI PROBLEM--MIGHT HAVE DONE BETTER AND SAVED TROUBLE BY ASSERTING MORE POSITIVE DIRECT LEADERSHIP IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

FOR EXAMPLE: BY GETTING TOUGHER WITH EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT NASSER WHO NOW CAN SIT BACK AND--APPARENTLY WITHOUT MAKING ANY PROMISES--LET THE WORLD FIGHT HIS FIGHT TO GET THE ISRAELIS OUT OF HIS HAIR.

BUT SOME OF EISENHOWER'S PATIENCE MAY BE BEGINNING TO PAY OFF A LITTLE, ANYWAY.

YESTERDAY SAUD, NOW IN CONFERENCE IN EGYPT WITH NASSER, JORDAN'S KING HUSSEIN AND SYRIAN PRESIDENT KUWATLY, REPORTEDLY WAS TRYING TO PERSUADE THEM TO CLAMP DOWN ON COMMUNISTS AT HOME WHILE STAYING FREE OF ALIGNMENTS WITH RUSSIA OR THE WEST IN FOREIGN POLICY.

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THIS SHOULDN'T SIT BADLY WITH THE WEST, FOR THE TIME BEING AT LEAST, IF IT WORKS TO KEEP COMMUNIST INFLUENCE AWAY FROM THE ARABS.

SAUD'S ARGUMENT WAS THAT THIS COURSE WILL SATISFY ARAB NATIONALIST DESIRES FOR NEUTRALISM WHILE SHOWING GOOD WILL TO THE WEST.

SAUD HAS A BIG STAKE HIMSELF IN WANTING GOOD RELATIONS WITH THE WEST.

AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES PAY HIM ABOUT 300 MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR FOR THE OIL THEY TAKE OUT OF SAUDI ARABIA. THAT OIL, IF THE AMERICANS LEFT, WOULD BE PRACTICALLY USELESS TO SAUD. IT WOULDN'T MEAN ANYTHING TO THE RUSSIANS WHO HAVE ALL THE OIL THEY NEED.

BESIDES, IF THE COMMUNISTS EVER GOT A HOLD IN SAUDI ARABIA IT WOULD BE BYE-BYE SAUD.

MEANWHILE SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES HAS BEEN TRYING TO WORK OUT WITH THE ISRAELI AMBASSADOR HERE SOME KIND OF AGREEMENT WHICH WOULD GET ISRAEL OUT OF EGYPT WITHOUT SANCTIONS AND WITHOUT A FIGHT OVER SANCTIONS IN THE U. N.

THE UNITED STATES--ACCORDING TO REPORTS FROM THE U. N. IN NEW YORK--WAS ABOUT READY TO OFFER SOME SOLUTION TODAY TO THE WORLD ORGANIZATION. HOW THE UNITED STATES WALKS THIS TIGHTROPE IS GOING TO BE INTERESTING TO SEE.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE MEETINGS UNDERSCORE EFFORTS TO HEAL DIFFERENCES WHICH DEVELOPED BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES ON THE ONE HAND AND BRITAIN AND FRANCE ON THE OTHER AS A RESULT OF THE SUEZ CANAL CRISIS.

FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE CONFERENCES, FORECAST SOME TIME AGO, CAME AS EFFORTS CONTINUED TO GET ISRAEL TO WITHDRAW ITS TROOPS FROM EGYPT.

JAMES C. HAGERTY, WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY, SAID EISENHOWER AND MACMILLAN, WHO RECENTLY SUCCEEDED SIR ANTHONY EDEN AS BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER, WILL MEET IN BERMUDA AT THE PRESIDENT'S SUGGESTION. THAT STATEMENT DEALT WITH THE SITE OF MEETING.

RESPONDING TO A QUESTION, HAGERTY SAID SUGGESTIONS THAT SUCH A MEETING BE HELD CAME FROM BOTH THE PRESIDENT AND MACMILLAN.

THE PRESS SECRETARY ADDED THAT ALSO WAS SO REGARDING THE FORTHCOMING EISENHOWER-MOLLET MEETING.

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THOMASVILLE, GA--SECOND ADD IKE-CONFERENCE (A111-113AX) XXX
MEETING.
IN DECEMBER, 1953, EISENHOWER CONFERRED IN BERMUDA WITH SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL, THEN BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER, AND JOSEPH LANIEL, THEN FRENCH PREMIER.
TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT AT THE PRESIDENT'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS SAID:
"THE PRIME MINISTER OF THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES HAVE AGREED TO MEET FROM MARCH 21 THROUGH MARCH 24. AT THE PRESIDENT'S SUGGESTION THE MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE IN BERMUDA.
"THE PRIME MINISTER (SIC) OF FRANCE, HIS EXCELLENCY GUY MOLLET, HAS ACCEPTED THE PRESIDENT'S INVITATION TO PAY AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO WASHINGTON TUESDAY FEB. 26 AND WEDNESDAY FEB. 27."
REGARDING THE EISENHOWER-MOLLET MEETING, THE ANNOUNCEMENT ADDED:
"THE DISCUSSIONS OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND THE PRESIDENT WILL COVER MATTERS OF MUTUAL INTEREST BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTIRES."
THE MIDDLE EAST SITUATION IS CERTAIN TO BE AT ABOUT THE TOP OF THE AGENDA AT THE EISENHOWER MEETINGS WITH BOTH MACMILLAN AND MOLLET.
SHORTLY BEFORE ANNOUNCEMENT OF ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE TWO CONFERENCES THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES DISCUSSED THE ISRAELI-EGYPTIAN CRISIS BY TELEPHONE FOR THE FOURTH TIME SINCE EISENHOWER ARRIVED HERE LAST FRIDAY FOR ABOUT 10 DAYS OF QUAIL HUNTING AND GOLF. DULLES IS IN WASHINGTON.
THEY TALKED THIS MORNING FOR ABOUT 20 MINUTES. HARGERY SAID THE CONFERENCE DEALT AGAIN WITH UNITED NATIONS EFFORTS--SO FAR UNSUCCESSFUL--TO GET ISRAEL TO WITHDRAW ITS TROOPS FROM THE GAZA STRIP AND THE GULF OF AQABA AREA.
HAGERTY DECLINED TO PROVIDE ANY DETAILS.
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AT EISENHOWER'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS IN THOMASVILLE, GA., INDICATIONS WERE THE BERMUDA SITE GETTING TOP CONSIDERATION FOR THE CONFERENCE WAS THE SWANK MID-OCEAN CLUB. IT WAS THERE THE PRESIDENT MET IN 1953 WITH BRITAIN'S SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL AND FRENCH PREMIER JOSEPH LANIEL. HOWEVER, HAGERTY SAID THERE HAS BEEN NO FINAL DECISION REGARDING THE SITE.

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THOMASVILLE, GA., FEB. 11 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY HE WILL MEET IN BERMUDA MARCH 21-24 WITH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN OF GREAT BRITAIN. THE PRESIDENT ALSO WILL CONFER IN WASHINGTON FEB. 26-27 WITH FRENCH PREMIER GUY MOLLET.
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FOLO THOMASVILLE (130)

LONDON, FEB. 11 (AP)-PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN DREW CHEERS IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TODAY WITH HIS ANNOUNCEMENT THAT HE IS MEETING PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AT BERMUDA MARCH 21-24.

HE TOLD THE HOUSE THE SCOPE OF THE TALKS WOULD BE "VERY WIDE" SINCE "THERE ARE VERY LARGE QUESTIONS COVERING MANY PARTS OF THE WORLD WHICH WE OUGHT TO DISCUSS."

MACMILLAN SAID HE WAS TAKING FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD WITH HIM AND ADDED:

"I HAVE NO DOUBT THE PRESIDENT WILL WISH THE SECRETARY OF STATE (JOHN FOSTER DULLES) TO COME WITH HIM."

LABORITES HAVE BEEN PRESSING FOR A CONFERENCE OF COMMONWEALTH PRIME MINISTERS BEFORE MACMILLAN SEES EISENHOWER. MACMILLAN EXPLAINED, HOWEVER, "IT WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE" TO ARRANGE SUCH A CONFERENCE BEFORE MARCH 21.

"I AM HOPING IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE TO ORGANIZE A MEETING AFTERWARD, IN THE COURSE OF THIS YEAR," HE SAID.

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BY JOHN SCALI

WASHINGTON, FEB. 11 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WILL HOLD SEPARATE CONFERENCES WITH BRITISH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN AND FRENCH PREMIER MOLLET IN A BID TO WARM UP CHILLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THIS COUNTRY AND ITS TWO TRADITIONAL ALLIES.

FROM HIS VACATION HEADQUARTERS AT THOMASVILLE, GA., EISENHOWER DISCLOSED TODAY HE WOULD MEET MARCH 21 WITH MACMILLAN FOR FOUR DAYS ON THE BRITISH RESORT ISLAND OF BERMUDA, 600 MILES FROM THE CAROLINA COAST IN THE ATLANTIC.

MOLLET ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO MEET WITH EISENHOWER AT THE WHITE HOUSE FOR A TWO-DAY CONFERENCE BEGINNING FEB.26.

PRESS OFFICER JAMES C.HAGERTY, IN ANNOUNCING THE LONG-EXPECTED EISENHOWER DECISION TO TALK PERSONALLY WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH LEADERS, REFUSED TO PROVIDE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT PROBLEMS WHICH WOULD BE DISCUSSED.

THE CONTINUING AMERICAN DIFFERENCES WITH BRITAIN AND FRANCE OVER THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS, HOWEVER, PROMISED TO TOP THE LIST OF ISSUES TO BE REVIEWED AT BOTH MEETINGS.

EISENHOWER TALKED BY TELEPHONE FOR 20 MINUTES WITH SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES THIS MORNING TO HEAR A FIRST-HAND REPORT ON AMERICAN EFFORTS TO PERSUADE ISRAEL TO HEED THE UNITED NATIONS APPEAL THAT IT WITHDRAW ITS FORCES FROM THE GAZA STRIP AND THE GULF OF AQABA AREA SEIZED FROM EGYPT.

ABBA EBAN, ISRAEL'S AMBASSADOR, MET AFTERWARD WITH DULLES AND RE-AFFIRMED HIS GOVERNMENT'S DETERMINATION TO HOLD ONTO THESE AREAS UNTIL IT GETS "CONCRETE AND TANGIBLE GUARANTEES."

EBAN SAID THESE GUARANTEES MUST INCLUDE SOMETHING MORE THAN A VERBAL PLEDGE BY EGYPT'S PRESIDENT NASSER THAT EGYPT WILL ALLOW ISRAELI SHIPS INTO THE GULF OF AQABA AND STOP USING THE GAZA AREA AS A BASE FOR ATTACKS ON ISRAELI TERRITORY.

EISENHOWER ARRANGED THE SEPARATE CONFERENCES WITH MACMILLAN AND MOLLET, RATHER THAN A BIG-THREE MEETING, IN AN APPARENT MOVE TO PREVENT ARAB COUNTRIES FROM BELIEVING THE UNITED STATES HAS PATCHED UP DIFFERENCES TO THE POINT WHERE A JOINT "COLONIAL" POLICY WOULD BE FOLLOWED IN AREAS OF DISPUTE.

SEPARATE MEETINGS WERE ALSO DEEMED BETTER, THEY SAID, BECAUSE SOME PROBLEMS BRITAIN AND FRANCE WANTED TO TAKE UP DEALT WITH ISSUES OF LITTLE CONCERN TO EACH OTHER.

EISENHOWER'S DECISION TO FLY TO BERMUDA TO MEET MACMILLAN WAS OBVIOUSLY A GESTURE TO THE BRITISH AIMED AT SHOWING THE PRESIDENT'S DESIRE TO MEET THEM HALF WAY IN SETTLING EXISTING DIFFICULTIES.

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THE FAR EAST, AS WELL AS BRITAIN'S PROBLEMS IN MEETING ITS DEFENSE BURDEN, AUTHORITIES AGREED, UNDOUBTEDLY WILL FIGURE PROMINENTLY IN THE EISENHOWER-MACMILLAN CONFERENCE.

FRANCE'S TROUBLES IN ALGERIA AS WELL AS THE FRENCH FINANCIAL PROBLEMS THAT HAVE MOUNTED SINCE THE SUEZ CANAL WAS CLOSED WERE LIKELY TO BE IMPORTANT TOPICS IN THE EISENHOWER-MOLLET SESSION.

DULLES, IN TALKING OVER THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS WITH EBAN TODAY, WAS REPORTED TO HAVE AGAIN URGED ISRAELI TO COMPLY WITH UNITED NATIONS DEMANDS FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ISRAELI TROOPS FROM GAZA AND THE GULF OF AQABA REGION.

THE ISRAELI ENVOY, HOWEVER, MADE IT CLEAR HIS GOVERNMENT WAS STANDING FIRM. HE DENOUNCED ANY MOVE TO APPLY ECONOMIC SANCTIONS ON HIS GOVERNMENT AS "DISCRIMINATORY" AND SAID ISRAEL WANTED "A NEW ORDER, A NEW DEAL" IN RELATIONS WITH ITS ARAB NEIGHBORS.

EBAN HINTED HE EXCHANGED OR BROUGHT DIPLOMATIC NOTES DURING HIS 70-MINUTE MEETING WITH DULLES BUT SAID HE COULD NOT COMMENT ON THIS.

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JAN 21 1957

IKE RUSSIAN

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, JAN. 21 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY ENDORSED THE "DEMAND" OF THE"RUSSIAN PEOPLE" FOR GREATER FREEDOM AND BETTER LIVES.

HIS WORDS SUGGESTED THAT EISENHOWER BELIEVES RUSSIA'S RULERS ARE FACING REVOLUTIONARY PRESSURES WITHIN THEIR OWN COUNTRY.

EISENHOWER'S UNUSUALLY STRONG AND DIRECT WORDS ON THIS POINT WERE SUBJECT ALSO TO THE INTERPRETATION THAT HE IS DELIBERATELY TRYING TO ENCOURAGE THE FORCES OF "LIBERALIZATION" IN THE COMMUNIST CAMP. SUCH FORCES HAVE COME TO THE FORE SINCE THE DEATH OF STALIN IN 1953, AND REACHED A CLIMAX IN NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV'S REPUDIATION OF STALINISM A YEAR AGO.

THE PRESIDENT PROVIDED AT LEAST AMMUNITION--IF NOT A DIRECTIVE -- FOR VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCASTS AIMED AT PEOPLES RATHER THAN GOVERNMENTS BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN.

IN THE LAST FEW WEEKS KHRUSHCHEV HAS BEGUN TO REFURBISH THE IMAGE OF STALIN AS A MAN WHO DID MUCH FOR COMMUNISM AND HAD MANY GOOD POINTS.

ONLY A FEW DAYS AGO KHRUSHCHEV CALLED HIMSELF A STALINIST IN THE SENSE OF A FIGHTER FOR WORLD COMMUNISM. HIS ASSERTION HELD SINISTER POSSIBILITIES FOR PEOPLES UNDER COMMUNIST RULE WHETHER IN RUSSIA OR THE SATELLITE BELT. IT IMPLIED THE POSSIBLE RETURN OF STALINIST OPPRESSIONS IN ORDER TO MAKE SECURE MOSCOW'S CENTRAL CONTROL OF THE COMMUNIST WORLD.

THE REVOLT AGAINST SOVIET DICTATION IN THE SATELLITE REGION OF EASTERN EUROPE HAS BEEN THE GREATEST DEVELOPMENT IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS DURING THE PAST YEAR. LESS WELL KNOWN IS THE FACT THAT AUTHORITIES HERE HAVE RECEIVED A CONSTANT STREAM OF REPORTS OF DISCONTENT, UNREST AND DEMANDS FOR CHANGE INSIDE RUSSIA ITSELF.

THE PEOPLE ARE BELIEVED HERE TO HAVE GRASPED THE FULL IMPORTANCE OF THE DIVISION AND UNCERTAINTY INSIDE THE KREMLIN AMONG STALIN'S SUCCESSORS. THE POLITICAL REVOLT IN POLAND AND THE ARMED UPRISING IN HUNGARY BECAME KNOWN TO THEM. REPORTS TO WASHINGTON INDICATED THE BEGINNING OF A SLOW BUT POTENTIALLY POWERFUL PRESSURE FOR CHANGE ON THE PART OF RUSSIAN STUDENTS AND POSSIBLY OTHER GROUPS.

IT WAS AGAINST THIS BACKGROUND THAT EISENHOWER SAID THE UNITED STATES HONORS "THE PEOPLE OF RUSSIA" AND AMERICANS "WELCOME THEIR PROGRESS IN EDUCATION AND INDUSTRY."

IN WORDS THAT SEEMED TO BE DESIGNED LIKE SOME GUIDED MISSILE OF PROPAGANDA TO REACH OVER THE HEADS OF THE RULERS AND INFLUENCE THE PEOPLE BEYOND THEM, EISENHOWER THEN DECLARED "WE WISH THEM SUCCESS IN THEIR DEMAND FOR MORE INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM, GREATER SECURITY BEFORE THEIR OWN LAWS, FULLER ENJOYMENT OF THE REWARDS OF THEIR OWN TOIL."

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BY JAMES MARLOW
ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS ANALYST
WASHINGTON, JAN. 4 (AP)-THE IDEA OF USING AMERICAN ARMED FORCES IN SOME WAY TO STOP THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM IS NOT NEW WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER. HE DISCUSSED IT AT LEAST TWO YEARS AGO.
HE WILL GO BEFORE CONGRESS TOMORROW TO ASK STANDBY AUTHORITY--APPROVAL BEFOREHAND--TO USE AMERICAN FORCES IN THE MIDDLE EAST WHEN HE THINKS IT NECESSARY.
ALTHOUGH HE HAS NOW HAD AT LEAST TWO YEARS TO THINK OVER THIS PROBLEM THERE WERE INDICATIONS LATE THIS WEEK THAT HE AND HIS ADVISERS WERE STILL NOT CERTAIN ON HOW TO SAY WHAT HE WANTED TO ASK.
NO MATTER WHAT HE SAYS, IT IS LIKELY THAT CONGRESS, AFTER COMMITTEE HEARINGS, WILL HAVE A HAND IN THE PHRASING OF ANY RESOLUTION IT PASSES TO GIVE EISENHOWER STANDBY AUTHORITY.
IT IS EVEN POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LIKELY, THAT CONGRESS WON'T GIVE EISENHOWER THE AUTHORITY AT ALL.
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THE STATE DEPARTMENT BY THE WAY IT "LEAKED" NEWS OF EISENHOWER'S PROPOSED REQUEST TO CONGRESS HAS PUT CONGRESS ON A DELICATE SPOT.
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IF IT REPUDIATES EISENHOWER'S IDEA, IT WOULD BE DOING SO AT A TIME WHEN THE DANGER OF RUSSIAN PENETRATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST, IF ONLY BY INFILTRATION AND SUBVERSION AND NOT BY ARMED ATTACK, IS SERIOUS.
A REPUDIATION BY CONGRESS NOW WOULD APPEAR AS NOTICE TO THE WORLD--AND TO RUSSIA AND THE MIDDLE EAST--THAT AMERICAN OPINION WAS SO DIVIDED ON WHAT TO DO TO BLOCK COMMUNISM THAT IT DIDN'T KNOW HOW TO ACT.
STILL, IN 1953, ON THE URGING OF SOME OF HIS FELLOW-REPUBLICANS, EISENHOWER PROPOSED THAT CONGRESS PASS A RESOLUTION CONDEMNING RUSSIA FOR VIOLATING AND BREAKING WARTIME TREATIES.
THE REPUBLICANS DIDN'T LIKE HIS RESOLUTION. THEY WANTED IT MORE STRONGLY WORDED. THE DEMOCRATS DIDN'T. THE RESULT: EISENHOWER'S PROPOSAL WAS DROPPED IN THE WASTE
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PROPOSAL WAS DROPPED IN THE WASTE BASKET.
TWO YEARS AGO EISENHOWER INFORMED THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT THIS COUNTRY SHOULD "PROVIDE FOR MEETING LESSER HOSTILE ACTS IN SITUATIONS NOT BROADENED BY THE INTERVENTION OF A MAJOR AGGRESSOR'S FORCES."
A MAJOR AGGRESSOR, OF COURSE, WOULD HAVE BEEN RUSSIA OR RED CHINA.
AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE JAN. 12, 1955 EISENHOWER WAS ASKED TO EXPLAIN WHAT HE MEANT. HE WAS PRETTY VAGUE, EXPLAINING HE WOULDN'T TRY TO ANSWER IN DETAIL BECAUSE NO MILITARY SITUATION COULD BE VISUALIZED ENTIRELY IN ADVANCE.
HE ADDED THIS COUNTRY WAS TRYING TO HELP OTHER NATIONS AROUND THE WORLD BUILD UP THEIR OWN FORCES SUFFICIENTLY STRONG TO HANDLE REBELLION OR SUBVERSION WHERE THERE WASN'T MAJOR OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE. BUT HE WENT ON:
BUT IF AN ESTABLISHED AND FRIENDLY GOVERNMENT CALLED ON THE UNITED STATES FOR HELP, LIGHT FORCES, OR A MARINE UNIT, COULD GO IN AND THAT WOULD BE SUFFICIENT TO HELP OUT. THE FACT WAS, HE SAID, YOU HAD TO HAVE THINGS READY TO MOVE AND MOVE RAPIDLY.
ALREADY TWO MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES--SYRIA AND JORDAN--HAVE SAID THEY DON'T WANT THE KIND OF MILITARY HELP THE ADMINISTRATION TALKS OF NOW.

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BUT IT ISN'T CLEAR JUST WHAT THE ADMINISTRATION HAS IN MIND TO ASK CONGRESS.
LAST WEEK, WHEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WAS "LEAKING" THE IDEA TO NEWSMEN, THE REPORTERS WERE TOLD THE PRESIDENT WOULD ASK STANDBY AUTHORITY TO STOP SOVIET AGGRESSION.
BUT AFTER EISENHOWER'S TUESDAY CONFERENCE WITH CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS, THE WHITE HOUSE ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING HE WANTED CONGRESS TO JOIN HIM IN SERVING NOTICE THIS COUNTRY WOULD RESIST "COMMUNIST AGGRESSION" IN THE MIDDLE EAST.
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SOVIET AGGRESSION AND COMMUNIST AGGRESSION ARE NOT NECESSARILY THE SAME THINGS. IF SYRIA TURNS COMMUNIST AND IS ARMED BY RUSSIA AND THEN ATTACKS IRAQ, IS THAT SOVIET AGGRESSION?
IF THIS COUNTRY, NO MATTER WHAT THE AGGRESSION IS CALLED, THEN GOES TO THE AID OF IRAQ, RIGHT IN RUSSIA'S BACKYARD, WILL THE SOVIETS CONSIDER THIS AMERICAN AGGRESSION AND ATTACK UNITED STATES FORCES?
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DEC 26 1956

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WASHINGTON, DEC. 26 (AP)-NEW AMBASSADORS FROM PANAMA AND LIBYA PRESENTED THEIR CREDENTIALS TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY.

THE NEW ENVOY FROM PANAMA IS RICARDO ARIAS, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE CENTRAL AMERICAN REPUBLIC. HE SUCCEEDS J.J.VALLARINO, RESIGNED.

ARIAS, WHO CRITICIZED U.S.INTERPRETATION OF THE CANAL ZONE TREATY WHEN HE LEFT THE PRESIDENCY OCT. 1, SAID THE SUBJECT WAS NOT MENTIONED IN HIS VISIT WITH EISENHOWER TODAY. HE SAID THE MAIN PURPOSE OF HIS MISSION "IS TO TRY TO ACHIEVE A BETTER UNDERSTANDING" REGARDING THE TREATY. THE MAIN ITEM OF DISAGREEMENT IS CANAL ZONE WAGE RATES WHICH ARIAS SAID ARE LOWER FOR PANAMANIANS THAN FOR U.S.CITIZENS.

THE NEW LIBYAN AMBASSADOR, SULEIMAN JERBI, SAID HE WAS "GRACIOUSLY RECEIVED" BY EISENHOWER, TO WHOM HE EXTENDED "THE GREETINGS OF MY PEOPLE."

IN REPLY TO A QUESTION JERBI SAID THERE WAS NO DISCUSSION OF MIDDLE EAST TROUBLES.

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ST.LOUIS,DEC.12 (AP)-THE POST-DISPATCH SAID TODAY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER FIRST AGREED TO, THEN CALLED OFF A WASHINGTON MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER EDEN OF BRITAIN AND PREMIER MOLLET OF FRANCE DURING TENSION OVER THE BRITISH-FRENCH INVASION OF EGYPT.

THE NEWSPAPER, IN A COPYRIGHTED STORY FROM WASHINGTON BY MARQUIS W.CHILDS, SAID EDEN ASKED FOR THE MEETING IN A TELEPHONE CALL TO THE PRESIDENT NOV.8, TWO DAYS AFTER BRITAIN, FRANCE AND ISRAEL HAD AGREED TO A CEASE-FIRE.

THE STORY, QUOTING AN UNNAMED "SOURCE OF UNQUESTIONED AUTHORITY," SAID PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AGREED TO THE MEETING AT FIRST BUT CALLED IT OFF TWO AND ONE-HALF HOURS LATER IN FAVOR OF LETTING BRITAIN AND FRANCE "STEW IN THEIR OWN JUICE."

CHILDS' STORY SAID THE PREVAILING BELIEF IS THAT PRESSURE WAS EXERTED FROM "TWO OR THREE" IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO CONVINCED SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES, THEN RECUPERATING IN WALTER REED HOSPITAL FROM A CANCER OPERATION, "THAT THE PRESIDENT SHOULD BE DISSUADED."

EDEN, THE STORY SAID, "DID NOT CONCEAL HIS ALMOST DESPERATE ANXIETY" TO COME HERE FOR THE THREE-POWER MEETING TO OVERCOME DAMAGE DONE BY THE ATTACK, WHICH WAS STARTED WITHOUT A WARNING TO THE UNITED STATES.

THE BRITISH PRIME MINISTER NOTIFIED MOLLET TEN MINUTES AFTER TALKING WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER, THE STORY SAID, AND BOTH MADE PREPARATIONS FOR THE WASHINGTON TRIP THAT DAY. THE PRESIDENT CALLED EDEN, CANCELLING THE MEETING, ABOUT TWO AND ONE-HALF HOURS LATER, THE STORY SAID.

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IKE-TRADE (190)

AUGUSTA, DEC 11 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SAID TODAY HE WILL RENEW HIS REQUEST TO CONGRESS TO PERMIT U.S. MEMBERSHIP IN THE ORGANIZATION FOR TRADE COOPERATION.

HIS PLAN TO DO SO WAS SET FORTH IN A LETTER TO THOMAS J.WATSON JR., CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED STATES COUNCIL OF THE INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

IN AN EXCHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE MADE PUBLIC AT EISENHOWER'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS HERE, WATSON WROTE EISENHOWER PLEDGING CONTINUED COUNCIL SUPPORT OF "THE MANY WISE PROPOSALS YOU HAVE MADE TO EXPAND INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND STRENGTHEN ECONOMIC COOPERATION AMONG FRIENDLY NATIONS."

WATSON SAID HE HOPED EISENHOWER WOULD CONTINUE TO PUSH FOR U.S. MEMBERSHIP IN THE TRADE ORGANIZATION AS A MEANS OF STRENGTHENING THE INTERNATIONAL GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE.

"THE GENERAL AGREEMENT IS ONE OF OUR MAIN BULWARKS AGAINST COMMUNIST ECONOMIC PENETRATION OF THE FREE WORLD," WATSON WROTE.

EISENHOWER THANKED WATSON FOR COUNCIL BACKING, AND ADDED:

"IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE ADMINISTRATION TO RENEW ITS REQUEST TO THE INCOMING CONGRESS FOR SUCH MEMBERSHIP (IN THE TRADE ORGANIZATION) AND TO SEEK EARNESTLY FOR AFFIRMATIVE ACTION."

CONGRESS TOOK NO ACTION AT THE LAST SESSION ON THE PRESIDENT'S EARLIER REQUEST.

EISENHOWER ALSO EXPRESSED APPRECIATION OF COUNCIL PLANS TO EXPLAIN TO THE PUBLIC GENERALLY "THE COMPELLING REASONS" FOR U.S. MEMBERSHIP.

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BEFORE EISENHOWER CAME TO AUGUSTA A WEEK AGO FOR A VACATION COMBINED WITH WORK, YOUNG MACARTHUR HAD BEEN BRIEFING HIM DAILY ON DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS.

MACARTHUR, A SON-IN-LAW OF THE LATE VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN W. BARKLEY, HAS ATTENDED AND HELPED PLAN SEVERAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES INCLUDING THE 1955 GENEVA SUMMIT MEETING AND THE BERMUDA BIG THREE PARLEY IN 1953.

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THE WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCES EISENHOWER NOW HAS SCHEDULED WITH CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS FOR DEC. 31 AND JAN. 1 HAD BEEN BOOKED ORIGINALLY FOR DEC. 13-14. THE NEW DATES ANNOUNCED TODAY WERE PICKED BECAUSE SEVERAL ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS THE PRESIDENT WANTS ON HAND FOR THE SESSIONS WILL BE IN PARIS FOR A NATO MEETING IN MID-DECEMBER.

THE SESSIONS ON DEC. 31 WILL BE FOR REPUBLICAN LEADERS ONLY AND WILL DEAL MAINLY WITH THE ADMINISTRATION'S DOMESTIC LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM FOR 1957. THAT PROGRAM WILL BE OUTLINED IN THE STATE OF UNION MESSAGE WHICH EISENHOWER WILL DELIVER TO CONGRESS, PROBABLY IN PERSON, EARLY NEXT MONTH.

AT THE NEW YEAR'S DAY CONFERENCE THE GOP CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS WILL BE JOINED BY DEMOCRATIC LEADERS FOR DISCUSSION OF FOREIGN POLICY PLANS.

AS FOR OTHER PLANS AT HOLIDAY TIME, PRESIDENTIAL PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY SAID THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE AND MRS. EISENHOWER WILL SPEND CHRISTMAS EITHER AT THE WHITE HOUSE OR AT THEIR COUNTRY HOME AT GETTYSBURG, PA.

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DEC 4 1956

BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

AUGUSTA, GA., DEC. 4 (AP)-DOUGLAS MACARTHUR II, NEPHEW OF THE FAMED GENERAL OUSTED FROM HIS FAR EASTERN COMMAND IN 1951, WAS CHOSEN BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY TO BE AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO CALLED CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS TO WASHINGTON MEETINGS DEC. 31 AND ON NEW YEAR'S DAY FOR DISCUSSION OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S 1957 LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM AND FOREIGN POLICY PLANS.

AND HE CONFERRED FOR 90 MINUTES AT THE AUGUSTA NATIONAL GOLF CLUB THIS MORNING WITH BUDGET DIRECTOR PERCIVAL BRUNDAGE. THEY TALKED OVER THE SPENDING BUDGET FOR THE NEW FISCAL YEAR, STARTING NEXT JULY 1, WHICH EISENHOWER WILL SEND TO CONGRESS NEXT MONTH.

THE ADMINISTRATION'S GOAL IS A BALANCED BUDGET FOR THE THIRD YEAR IN A ROW. THE EISENHOWER-BRUNDAGE CONFERENCE TODAY DEALT WITH THE SPENDING PLANS OF SUCH AGENCIES AS THE AGRICULTURE AND INTERIOR DEPARTMENTS.

BRUNDAGE WILL RETURN TO THE PRESIDENT'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS HERE FRIDAY WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE WILSON FOR STUDY OF PENTAGON PLANS REPORTEDLY CALLING FOR AN OUTLAY OF ABOUT 38 BILLION DOLLARS IN THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR -- AROUND TWO BILLION MORE THAN THIS YEAR.

AS AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN AT $27,500 A YEAR, MACARTHUR SUCCEEDS JOHN M. ALLISON, WHO IS RETURNING TO THE UNITED STATES FOR REASSIGNMENT. MACARTHUR, 47, NOW A HIGH LEVEL POLICY ADVISER AS STATE DEPARTMENT COUNSELOR AT $20,000 A YEAR, IS EXPECTED TO TAKE OVER HIS NEW DUTIES IN TOKYO IN FEBRUARY.

THE NEW AMBASSADOR, A CAREER DIPLOMAT, IS A NEPHEW OF FAMED WORLD WAR II GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, NOW BOARD CHAIRMAN OF REMINGTON RAND.

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(WX) AUGUSTA, GA.--NIGHT LEAD EISENHOWER (A3) INSERT FOLLOWING AFTER 7TH GRAF STARTING "THE NEW AMBASSADOR X X X REMINGTON RAND."

MACARTHUR'S APPOINTMENT WAS INTERPRETED IN WASHINGTON AS INDICATING THE UNITED STATES IS DETERMINED TO STRENGTHEN U.S.-JAPANESE RELATIONS AT A CRITICAL PERIOD IN JAPAN'S POSTWAR DEVELOPMENT.

IT IS NO SECRET IN WASHINGTON THAT U.S.AUTHORITIES REGARD THE NEXT FEW YEARS AS A CRITICAL PERIOD FOR RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

JAPAN, ON THE VERGE OF RESTORING DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA, ALSO WILL ACHIEVE NEW INTERNATIONAL STATUS ~~SOON~~ BECOMING A MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS. AND THERE IS MOUNTING PRESSURE IN JAPAN FOR A READJUSTMENT IN HER RELATIONS WITH COMMUNIST CHINA.

IF SHE REALIZES HOPES OF SOON

SOME AMERICAN POLICYMAKERS CONSIDER IT INEVITABLE THAT AS JAPAN'S POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC STRENGTH IS RESTORED. RESENTMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS ROLE IN THE POSTWAR OCCUPATION PERIOD WILL FLARE HIGHER. THEY EXPECT THIS WILL BE REFLECT IN POLICY.

BEFORE EISENHOWER CAME, ETC., 8TH GRAF A3.

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THE WORLD TODAY (420)
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BY JAMES MARLOW
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WASHINGTON, NOV. 15 (AP)-THE KIND OF WORLD LEADERSHIP PRESIDENT EISENHOWER ASSERTS NOW MAY MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A NEW WAR AND NONE AND BETWEEN THE RETENTION OF WESTERN INFLUENCE IN THE MIDDLE EAST OR THE LOSS OF IT TO RUSSIA.

TWO MAIN CHOICES CONFRONTED HIM:

1. HE COULD HAVE TAKEN A STRONG, INDIVIDUAL POSITION FOR THE UNITED STATES -- EVEN OUTSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS -- AND EVEN TO THE EXTENT OF WARNING THE RUSSIANS OF DIRECT AMERICAN INTERVENTION IF THEY SEND THEIR "VOLUNTEERS" INTO EGYPT.

2. OR HE COULD -- AS HE DID -- THROW THE WEIGHT OF THE UNITED STATES BEHIND THE U.N. WITHOUT ANY EXPLICIT WARNINGS BEYOND SAYING THIS COUNTRY WOULD BACK UP THE WORLD ORGANIZATION TO KEEP PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST BY OPPOSING "VOLUNTEERS IN EGYPT.

ONLY TIME WILL SHOW WHETHER THIS CHOICE WAS THE WISER ONE OR WHETHER, SINCE EISENHOWERSLEFT OBSCURE HOW THIS COUNTRY WOULD BACK UP THE U.N., THE RUSSIANS MAY INTERPRET IT AS WEAKNESS AND SEND IN THEIR "VOLUNTEERS."

BUT IF HE HAD CHOSEN NO. 1 THE RUSSIANS MIGHT HAVE FELT IT NECESSARY TO CHANCE WAR BY DEFYING HIM. TO APPEAR TO BACK DOWN UNDER HIS DIRECT WARNING WOULD MEAN NOT ONLY HUMILIATION FOR THEM BUT LOSS OF THEIR INFLUENCE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

BY CHOOSING TO WORK THROUGH THE U.N. AND AVOIDING PROVOCATIVE STATEMENTS EISENHOWER ACHIEVES AT LEAST THESE THREE THINGS:

HE MAINTAINS THIS COUNTRY'S MORAL POSITION; HE STRENGTHENS THE U.N. WHICH WAS BADLY WEAKENED BY THE RUSSIAN ASSAULT ON HUNGARY AND THE BRITISH-FRENCH-ISRAELI INVASION OF EGYPT; AND HE ASSURES THIS COUNTRY OF ALLIES IF IT GETS INTO THE FIGHTING AS A RESULT OF A U.N. DEMAND FOR MILITARY ACTION BY ITS MEMBERS IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

MAYBE EISENHOWER'S CHOICE IS THE BEST WAY TO GO ABOUT IT. ONLY THE RUSSIANS KNOW THE ANSWER TO THAT. BUT NEITHER THE U.N. NOR THE RUSSIANS NOR AMERICANS KNOW AT THIS MOMENT HOW FAR EISENHOWER WOULD GO TO BACK UP THE U.N.

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THE PRESIDENT HAS A HABIT OF BEING VAGUE AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCES. BUT HIS MEETING YESTERDAY WITH REPORTERS -- ALMOST AT THE MOMENT REPORTS FROM MOSCOW SAID THE EGYPTIANS WERE REQUESTING RUSSIAN "VOLUNTEERS" -- MAY HAVE SET A NEW RECORD FOR OBSCURITY.

HE WAS ASKED WHAT THIS COUNTRY WOULD DO IF THE RUSSIANS SENT "VOLUNTEERS" INTO EGYPT. HIS ANSWER: "I BELIEVE. . . IT WOULD BE THE DUTY OF THE UNITED NATIONS, WHICH WOULD INCLUDE THE UNITED STATES, TO OPPOSE SUCH AN EFFORT . . ."

BUT OPPOSE HOW: BY MAKING SPEECHES, MERELY APPROVING PIOUS RESOLUTIONS, OR BY FORCE IF NECESSARY? HE WAS ASKED WHAT FORM "OUR OPPOSITION" WOULD TAKE. HE SAID: "I DON'T KNOW EXACTLY WHAT WE WOULD DO. IT WOULD DEPEND UPON THE CIRCUMSTANCES."

AND HE ADDED THAT THE U.N. "IS NOT BY ANY MANNER OF MEANS LIMITED TO RESOLUTIONS."

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IF THIS VAGUENESS DISCOURAGES THE RUSSIANS FROM TRYING A MILITARY ADVENTURE IN EGYPT, OR CONFUSES THEM, OR SOUNDS LIKE A GO-AHEAD TO THEM, AT LEAST EISENHOWER INDICATED BEFORE HIS NEWS CONFERENCE STARTED HE MIGHT BE VAGUE.

HE TOLD THE REPORTERS IN HIS PRELIMINARY STATEMENT HE DID NOT WANT TO SAY ANYTHING WHICH MIGHT UPSET THE DELICATE EFFORTS NOW BEING MADE BY THE U.N. TO MOVE INTO THE SUEZ CANAL AREA AND ASSURE AND END TO THE FIGHTING.

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PHILADELPHIA, NOV 14-(AP)-THE PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER TONIGHT ADDRESSED AN OPEN LETTER TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER ASKING HIM TO MEET WITH THE ARAB RULERS "IN A DIRECT EFFORT X X X TO SNUFF OUT THE THREAT OF WIDESPREAD, DEVASTATING WAR."

THE INQUIRER PUBLISHED THE LETTER OF ABOUT 600 WORDS ON ITS FRONT PAGE.

"TO MEET THE CRISIS IN THE MIDDLE EAST, WHICH HAS BEEN MADE EVEN MORE ACUTE BY THE SOVIET MOVE TO POUR 'VOLUNTEER' TROOPS INTO EGYPT," THE LETTER BEGINS, "THIS NEWSPAPER IS CONVINCED THAT PROMPT AND POSITIVE ACTION BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES IS IMPERATIVE.

"WE RESPECTFULLY URGE YOU, ACCORDINGLY, MR.PRESIDENT, TO CALLA PERSONAL MEETING BETWEEN YOURSELF AND THE HEADS OF THE ARAB STATES IN A DIRECT EFFORT TO BRING LASTING PEACE TO THAT TROUBLED REGION X X X."

"THE ARAB NATIONS, HAVING BECOME MORE HOSTILE THAN EVER TO THE WEST BECAUSE OF THE BRITISH-FRENCH THRUST AT SUEZ AND THE ISRAELI INVASION OF THE SINAI PENINSULA, ARE IN DANGER OF TURNING COMPLETELY TO A SOVIET RUSSIA THAT IS READY TO DEVOUR THEM," THE LETTER CONTINUES.

"THEY COULD BE THE KEY TO WAR OR PEACE. THEY COULD FORSAKE THEIR THOUGHTS OF VENGEANCE AND COOPERATE WITH ISRAEL AND THE WEST FOR A PEACE THAT WOULD ASSURE THEM ABUNDANT GAINS. OR THEY COULD OPEN A SUBMISSIVE PATH THROUGH THEIR LANDS TO A FALSE ALLY, WHOSE TREATMENT OF ITS CAPTIVE NATIONS HAS JUST BEEN SPELLED OUT IN THE BLOOD OF HUNGARY'S PATRIOTS.

"MR. PRESIDENT, THERE IS NO ONE IN THE WORLD TODAY BETTER FITTED THAN YOURSELF TO PRESENT TO THE ARABS THE CASE FOR PEACE, NO ONE ARMED WITH GREATER PRESTIGE AT HOME OR ABROAD. X X X X

"U.S. MEETINGS AT THIS TIME WITH THE RUSSIANS, OR WITH THE BRITISH AND FRENCH, HAVE BEEN REJECTED AS UNFEASIBLE. BUT A MEETING WITH THE HEADS OF STATE OF EGYPT, JORDAN, SAUDI ARABIA, IRAQ, SYRIA AND LEBANON WOULD GO DIRECTLY TO THE HEART OF THE CONFLICT AND ITS ISSUES, AND COULD HAVE HIGHLY BENEFICIAL RESULTS. IT IS NOT WORTH TRYING?

"SUCH A MEETING WOULD NOT BY-PASS THE UN BUT WOULD IMPLEMENT ITS ENDEAVORS ON BEHALF OF PEACE. X X X X"

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EISENHOWER-FOREIGN----BUDGET

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BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, NOV. 11 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND HIS FOREIGN POLICY ADVISERS FACE A FORMIDABLE TASK IN TRYING TO CHECK THE SPREAD OF SOVIET POWER AND INLUENCE IN THE MIDDLE EAST AS A RESULT OF WESTERN DEFEATS IN THE PRESENT CRISIS.

THE WHOLE SHAKY STRUCTURE OF POLITICAL RELATIONSHIPS, ECONOMIC INFLUENCE AND TREATY TIES HAS ALL BUT COLLAPSED AS A RESULT OF THE BRITISH-FRENCH-ISRAELI ATTACKS ON EGYPT BEGINNING TWO WEEKS AGO AND RUSSIA'S THREAT OF ALL-OUT SUPPORT FOR THE EGYPTIAN CAUSE.

THE PROBLEM NOW CONFRONTING EISENHOWER, AS WELL AS PRIME MINISTER ANTHONY EDEN OF BRITAIN AND PREMIER GUY MOLLET OF FRANCE IS NOT ONLY HOW TO EXTRICATE WESTERN INTERESTSS FROM THE DISASTER BUT ALSO HOW TO CREATE NEW SAFEGUARDS AGAINST FURTHER FIGHTING IN THE AREA.

EISENHOWER IS RELYING HEAVILY ON THE UNITED NATIONS TO HANDLE THE IMMEDIATE CRISIS AND THE HOPE HERE IS THAT THE ASSIGNMENT OF A U. N. POLICE FORCE TO KEEP THE PEACE IN EGYPT CAN BE CARRIED OFF WITHOUT SERIOUS SOVIET INTERVENTION.

FEARS THAT THE MIDDLE EAST CONFLICT WOULD LEAD TO WORLD WAR III, WHICH WERE FELT HERE EARLY LAST WEEK, HAVE NOW SUBSIDED WITH THE PROSPECT THAT THE CEASE FIRE TO WHICH ALL PARTIES HAVE AGREED CAN BE MAINTAINED.

BUT THE EASING OF THE EMERGENCY HAS MERELY CLEARED THE AIR ENOUGH FOR U. S. OFFICIALS TO TAKE A LONG AND SERIOUS LOOK AT THE RESULTS OF THE BRITISH-FRENCH DECISION TO TRY TO RESOLVE THEIR VARIOUS DISPUTES WITH EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT GAMAL ABDEL NASSER BY MILITARY FORCE. THIS IS WHAT THEY SEE:

1. THE JOINT DECLARATION MADE BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN 1950 TO MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POWER AND OPPOSE ANY AGGRESSION IN THE AREA IS A DEAD LETTER. IT HAD HELPED TO KEEP THE HOSTILE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ISRAEL AND THE ARAB STATES FROM BREAKING INTO OPEN WAR FOR SIX YEARS.

2. DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS INVOLVED IN THE AREA ARE IN A CHAOTIC STATE. EGYPT, SYRIA AND SAUDI ARABIA HAVE BROKEN RELATIONS WITH BRITAIN AND FRANCE. JORDAN AND IRAQ HAVE BROKEN RELATIONS WITH FRANCE, AND EGYPT HAS BROKEN WITH AUSTRALIA. RUSSIA HAS RECALLED ITS AMBASSADOR FROM ISRAEL.

3. THE BAGHDAD PACT, ONCE HAILED AS A STOUT BARRIER AGAINST THE THREAT OF SOVIET AGGRESSION, HAS BEEN BADLY, PERHAPS FATALLY SHAKEN. IRAQ, AN ANCHOR COUNTRY IN THIS ALLIANCE, HAS SERVED NOTICE IT WILL NOT ENGAGE IN ANY MEETING OF THE PACT MEMBERS AT WHICH BRITAIN IS PRESENT. THE OTHER MEMBERS ARE ~~IRAQ~~, TURKEY, PAKISTAN AND IRAN.

4. JORDAN, WITH THE TROOPS OF OTHER ARAB COUNTRIES ON ITS TERRITORY AS A RESULT OF THE WAR FEARS OF THE LAST TWO WEEKS, HAS SPOKEN OF REVIEWING ITS TREATY WITH BRITAIN. BRITISH INFLUENCE IN JORDAN HAS LONG BEEN THE STABILIZING FACTOR IN JORDAN'S RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL.

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5. RUSSIA HAS EMERGED FROM THE POLITICAL AND PROPAGANDA FIGHT AS A CHAMPION OF ARAB NATIONALISM AND OF ANTI-COLONIALISM. UNITED STATES OPPOSITION TO THE BRITISH-FRENCH ATTACK ON EGYPT HAS OFFSET THIS SOMEWHAT. BUT DIPLOMATIC REPORTS REACHING HERE SHOW THAT THE INITIAL LUSTER OF THE U. S. POSITION WAS LARGELY LOST WHEN THE RUSSIANS LAST WEEK OPENLY IMPLIED THEY WOULD FIGHT BRITAIN AND FRANCE UNLESS THOSE COUNTRIES GOT THEIR TROOPS OUT OF EGYPT QUICKLY.

RUSSIA'S RUTHLESS SUPPRESSION OF FREEDOM IN HUNGARY APPARENTLY HAS MADE LITTLE IMPACT ON ARAB POPULAR OPINION.

6. OIL DELIVERY FROM MIDDLE EASTERN FIELDS TO THE WESTERN WORLD, MAINLY EUROPE, HAVE BEEN SHARPLY REDUCED DUE TO THE CLOSING OF THE SUEZ CANAL AND DAMAGE TO PIPELINES AND PUMPING STATIONS. THIS IS PARTICULARLY IRONIC BECAUSE IT WAS IN PART TO SAFEGUARD THE FLOW OF OIL THAT THE BRITISH FELT STRONG ACTION WAS REQUIRED AGAINST EGYPT FOLLOWING NASSER'S NATIONALIZATION OF THE SUEZ LAST JULY.

WHETHER IN ADDITION TO THESE MEASURABLE RESULTS THERE MAY BE OTHER SETBACKS FOR THE WEST IN THE FUTURE IS AN OPEN QUESTION. THE UNITED STATES' LEASE ON AN AIR BASE AT DHAHRAN HAS BEEN UNDER NEGOTIATION FOR RENEWAL SINCE MID-YEAR; THERE HAS BEEN NO EVIDENCE THAT THE NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN HAMPERED BY EVENTS OF THE LAST TWO WEEKS BUT THEY ARE FAR FROM CONCLUDED.

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BRITISH AND AMERICAN OIL CONCESSIONS WHICH ARE VITAL TO THE WESTERN ECONOMY COULD IN THE LONG RUN BE JEOPARDIZED IF ONE RESULT OF THE PRESENT CRISIS IS TO FAN ARAB NATIONALISM TO NEW HEIGHTS.

THE MOST THE BRITISH AND FRENCH MAY BE ABLE TO CLAIM BY WAY OF A POSITIVE GAIN OUT OF THEIR MILITARY ADVENTURE IS THAT THEY WILL HAVE SUCCEEDED IN ESTABLISHING AT LEAST TEMPORARILY A DEGREE OF INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OVER KEY POSITIONS ON THE SUEZ CANAL.

BUT IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN WHETHER THIS CAN BE USED IN FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS WITH NASSER TO OBTAIN THE KIND OF PERMANENT INTERNATIONAL OPERATING ARRANGEMENT WHICH WASHINGTON, LONDON AND PARIS HAVE ALL FELT WAS ESSENTIAL TO PRESERVE FREE NAVIGATION THROUGH THE CANAL. IN THIS CONNECTION NASSER HAS A STRONG CARD TO PLAY ALSO, FOR NOW THAT THE CANAL IS BLOCKED BY SUNKEN SHIPS HE MAY BE ABLE TO FRUSTRATE EFFORTS TO OPEN IT AGAIN UNTIL HE GETS THE KIND OF ARRANGEMENT HE WANTS.

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NIGHT LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN
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WASHINGTON, NOV. 10 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER POLITELY BUT FIRMLY TURNED DOWN TODAY A BID FROM SWITZERLAND FOR A NEW SUMMIT CONFERENCE BETWEEN THE WESTERN POWERS AND RUSSIA TO DEAL WITH THE CRISES IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND EASTERN EUROPE.

THE PROBLEMS WHICH THREATEN WORLD PEACE, THE PRESIDENT MESSAGED SWISS PRESIDENT MARKUS FELDMANN, ARE NOW BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS AND "I BELIEVE THAT INTERESTS OF ALL WILL BEST BE SERVED BY CARRYING THESE INITIATIVES THROUGH TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION."

EISENHOWER'S RESPONSE TO THE INVITATION RECEIVED EARLIER THIS WEEK DID NOT FORECLOSE THE POSSIBILITY OF A SUMMIT MEETING IN THE FUTURE TIME BUT DEFINITELY CLOSED THE DOOR FOR NOW.

THERE REMAINS A GREATER POSSIBILITY OF A MEETING BETWEEN EISENHOWER, BRITISH PRIME MINISTER EDEN AND FRENCH PREMIER GUY MOLLET TO TRY TO REPAIR THE DAMAGE TO RELATIONS AMONG THE WESTERN BIG THREE CAUSED BY THEIR SPLIT OVER THE BRITISH-FRENCH ATTACK ON EGYPT. BUT EVEN THIS PROSPECTIVE CONFERENCE IS NOT LIKELY TO BE HELD SOON BECAUSE THE PRESIDENT AND HIS ADVISORS WANT TO KEEP WORLD ATTENTION FOCUSSED ON THE UNITED NATIONS.

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WASHINGTON--NIGHT LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN (A28) INSERT AFTER 4TH PGH BEGINNING "THERE REMAINS X X NATIONS."

FRENCH AMBASSADOR HERVE ALPHAND TOLD THE STATE DEPARTMENT LATE TODAY THAT FRANCE WANTS A THREE POWER-WESTERN MEETING. ALPHAND CONFERRED FOR MORE THAN AN HOUR WITH DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY ROBERT MURPHY ON THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS, DEVELOPMENTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS, HUNGARY AND THE POSSIBILITY OF A MEETING OF EISENHOWER, EDEN AND MOLLET.

FRANCE FAVORS A CONFERENCE OF THE THREE, HE SAID, "BECAUSE THERE ARE SO MANY PROBLEMS TO BE DISCUSSED." HE SAID THE UNITED STATES WAS NOT DRAGGING ITS FEET, AS ONE NEWSMAN PHRASED IT, BUT IS CONSIDERING THE POSSIBILITY OF A MEETING.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR HEINZ L. KREKELER MET WITH MURPHY ABOUT 40 MINUTES FOR WHAT HE CALLED A "GENERAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS, INCLUDING THE MIDDLE EAST." THEY ALSO DISCUSSED THE POSSIBILITY, IN WHICH GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER IS INTERESTED, OF ARRANGING A MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE NATO COUNTRIES. THE EVIDENT PURPOSE WOULD BE TO REPAIR SOME OF THE DAMAGE CAUSED BY THE UNITED STATES SPLIT WITH BRITAIN AND FRANCE OVER THE MIDDLE EAST.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE, ETC., 5TH PGH.

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO FELDMANN WAS RELEASED AT GETTYSBURG WHERE EISENHOWER SPENT THE DAY.

IN WASHINGTON, MEANWHILE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT TOOK ACTION TO PROHIBIT -- TO THE LIMIT OF ITS LEGAL POWER -- AMERICAN "VOLUNTEERS" FROM JOINING THE FORCES OF EITHER SIDE IN THE MIDDLE EAST CONFLICT. IT DID THIS BY ISSUING A WARNING THAT AMERICAN CITIZENS LOSE THEIR CITIZENSHIP BY SERVING IN A FOREIGN ARMED FORCE WITHOUT PERMISSION FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE.

"AUTHORIZATION HAS NOT SO FAR BEEN GRANTED IN ANY INDIVIDUAL CASE AND THERE IS NO INTENTION OF DEPARTING FROM THIS POLICY," THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID.

THIS STATEMENT, OFFICIALS SAID, WAS NECESSITATED BY A MOVEMENT IN EUROPE FOR VOLUNTEERS TO GO TO THE MIDDLE EAST AND JOIN THE ARMED FORCES OF ISRAEL. U.S. CONSULATES WERE REPORTED TO HAVE RECEIVED MANY INQUIRIES ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF AMERICAN CITIZENS TAKING SUCH ACTION. IN ADDITION, THE UNITED STATES WANTED TO MAKE CLEAR ITS OWN OPPOSITION TO LETTING "VOLUNTEERS" GO INTO THE AREA IN THE HOPE THAT THIS WOULD DISCOURAGE ACTION BY RUSSIA TO SEND IN "VOLUNTEERS" ON THE SIDE OF EGYPT.

THE SWISS INVITATION FOR A NEW SUMMIT MEETING HAS RECEIVED "URGENT AND SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION HERE," THE PRESIDENT SAID IN HIS MESSAGE.

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"I APPARECIATE THE SINCERITY OF THE SWISS PROPOSAL," HE SAID, "AND SHARE THE CONCERN FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE WHICH INSPIRED IT.

"HOWEVER, THE UNITED NATIONS IS ACTIVELY SEIZED (OCCUPIED) WITH THE VARIOUS PROBLEMS POSING A THREAT TO WORLD PEACE AND I BELIEVE THAT THE INTERESTS OF ALL WILL BEST BE SERVED BY CARRYING THESE INITIATIVES THROUGH TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION."

WHEN THE INVITATION WAS SENT THE WORD FROM SWITZERLAND WAS THAT THE GOVERNMENT THERE FELT THAT A NEW TOP-LEVEL SESSION -- COMPARABLE TO THE ONE HELD IN GENEVA IN JULY, 1955 BUT WITH INDIA ADDED -- MIGHT BE THE BEST MEANS OF PULLING THE WORLD BACK FROM THE BRINK OF A CONFLICT IN THE MIDDLE EAST THAT COULD EASILY EXPAND INTO WORLD WAR III.

THE SWISS MESSAGE WAS SENT AT A TIME WHEN IT APPEARED THERE MIGHT BE SERIOUS DIFFICULTIES IN HALTING THE FIGHTING BETWEEN BRITAIN, FRANCE AND ISRAEL ON ONE SIDE AND EGYPT ON THE OTHER. RUSSIA HAD WARNED BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO HALT THEIR INVASION AND GET OUT OF EGYPT OR RISK ATTACK BY STRONGER POWER, EVIDENTLY REFERRING TO THE POSSIBILITY OF JOINT ACTION OF MANY COUNTRIES THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS. SOVIET SPOKESMEN, AT LEAST, EMPHASIZED THAT RUSSIA WAS TALKING OF POSSIBLE U.N. ARMED INTERVENTION. A SIMILAR WARNING WAS GIVEN TO ISRAEL.

SINCE THAT TIME, HOWEVER, A CEASE-FIRE HAS BEEN ARRANGED AMONG THE BELLIGERENTS BY THE UNITED NATIONS, ISRAEL HAS AGREED TO PULL ITS FORCES OUT OF EGYPT'S SINAI PENINSULA, AND BRITAIN AND FRANCE HAVE AGREED TO WITHDRAW IN FAVOR OF A U.N. POLICE FORCE COMPOSED OF MILITARY UNITS FROM SMALLER COUNTRIES.

THE GREATEST DANGER NOW REMAINING IN THE SITUATION, AS OFFICIALS HERE SEE IT, IS THAT THE SOVIET UNION MAY PERSIST IN INTERVENING IN SPITE OF THE WORK OF THE U.N. BY SENDING "VOLUNTEERS" INTO THE MIDDLE EAST ON THE SIDE OF THE ARAB STATES, EVEN THOUGH THE FIGHTING HAS ENDED.

A NEW THREAT OF ACTION ALONG THIS LINE CAME FROM MOSCOW TODAY WHEN THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED THAT IT WILL PERMIT "VOLUNTEERS" TO JOIN EGYPT'S ARMED FORCES UNLESS THE TROOPS OF "AGGRESSORS" ARE WITHDRAWN FROM EGYPTIAN TERRITORY. NO TIME LIMIT WAS SPECIFIED IN THE SOVIET STATEMENT.

SINCE THE FORCES ARE EXPECTED TO BE WITHDRAWN BY BRITAIN, FRANCE AND ISRAEL THE LATEST RUSSIAN STATEMENT MAY NOT INDICATE FUTURE RUSSIAN ACTION SO MUCH AS IT REFLECTS A DETERMINATION ON THE PART OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO MAKE ALL THE POLITICAL CAPITAL POSSIBLE OUT OF THE SITUATION BY CONTINUING TO DEMONSTRATE FULL SUPPORT FOR EGYPT.

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BULLETIN

EISENHOWER-FOREIGN

GETTYSBURG, PA., NOV. 10 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY TOLD THE SWISS GOVERNMENT THE UNITED STATES WANTS TO CONTINUE HANDLING CURRENT INTERNATIONAL CRISES IN THE UNITED NATIONS RATHER THAN JOIN IN A NEW SUMMIT CONFERENCE OF MAJOR POWERS AT THIS TIME.

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BULLETIN MATTER

GETTYSBURG, PA.--FIRST ADD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN

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EISENHOWER SENT OFF A REPLY TO THE SWISS INVITATION TO THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA AND INDIA FOR A NEW CONFERENCE OF HEADS OF GOVERNMENT TO AVERT DANGER OF WORLD WAR III.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF EISENHOWER'S REPLY TO THE INVITATION, EXTENDED EARLIER THIS WEEK, WAS MADE AT HIS FARM HOME HERE SHORTLY AFTER HE ARRIVED FROM WASHINGTON FOR A FEW HOURS OF RELAXATION.

JAMES C.HAGERTY, WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY, SAID THE PRESIDENT HAD SENT THIS CABLE TO PRESIDENT MARKUS FELDMANN OF SWITZERLAND:

"THE FEDERAL COUNCIL'S SUGGESTION FOR A MEETING IN SWITZERLAND OF THE FIVE CHIEFS OF GOVERNMENT HAS REVEIVED URGENT AND SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION HERE.

"I APPRECIATE THE SINCERITY OF THE SWISS PROPOSAL AND SHARE THE CONCERN FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE WHICH INSPIRED IT.

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SECOND LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN

WASHINGTON, NOV. 9 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS DISCUSSED THE TENSE WORLD SITUATION FOR 2 1/2 HOURS TODAY. THE LEGISLATORS LEFT THE WHITE HOUSE USING SUCH TERMS AS "GRAVE" AND "SERIOUS" BUT THERE WERE EXPRESSIONS ALSO OF OPTIMISM.

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BULLETIN MATTER

WASHINGTON--1ST ADD SECOND LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN XXX OPTIMISM.

SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LYNDON JOHNSON OF TEXAS TOLD REPORTERS HE THOUGHT THE DISCUSSION HAD BEEN "VERY FRUITFUL AND HELPFUL."

"IT'S OBVIOUS THAT IT IS A VERY SERIOUS SITUATION," JOHNSON SAID.

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HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER JOSEPH W. MARTIN OF MASSACHUSETTS SAID THAT "OF COURSE IT IS A GRAVE SITUATION BUT I AM STILL OPTIMISTIC ABOUT A SETTLEMENT IN THE MIDDLE EAST."

JOHNSON SAID THAT AS FAR AS THE DEMOCRATS ARE CONCERNED "WE WILL GIVE RESPONSIBLE CONSIDERATION TO ANY ADMINISTRATION SUGGESTIONS AND WE WILL NOT PLAY POLITICS WITH FOREIGN POLICY."

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ALTOGETHER, 23 DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN LEADERS OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE MET WITH THE PRESIDENT AND HIS ADVISERS TO REVIEW THE SITUATION IN EASTERN EUROPE AND THE MIDDLE EAST.

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EISENHOWER WAS QUOTED BY SOME OF A LARGE GROUP OF CONFEREES AS SAYING THAT NO ONE COULD FORECAST WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN IN THE TROUBLED MIDDLE EASTERN SITUATION BUT AS BELIEVING THAT THE PEAK OF THE CRISIS THERE MAY HAVE PASSED.

THE PRESIDENT WAS QUOTED, TOO, AS SAYING HE WAS CONSTANTLY ALERT TO DO ANYTHING HE COULD TO MAINTAIN PEACE.

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GETTYSBURG, PA.--2ND ADD EISENHOWR-FOREIGN X X XA125 X X XINSPIRED IT
"I APPRECIATE THE SINCERITY OF THE SWISS PROPOSAL AND SHARE THE CONCERN FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE WHICH INSPIRED IT.
"HOWEVER, THE UNITED NATIONS IS ACTIVELY SEIZED (SIC) WITH THE VARIOUS PROBLEMS POSING A THREAT TO WORLD PEACE AND I BELIEVE THAT INTERESTS OF ALL WILL BEST BE SERVED BY CARRYING THESE INITIATIVES THROUGH TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION."
OFFICIALS EMPHASIZED THAT THE EISENHOWER REPLY DID NOT AMOUNT TO AN OUTRIGHT REJECTION OF THE SWISS INVITATION.
WHAT IT BOILED DOWN TO WAS AN INDIRECT STATEMENT THAT THE U.S. DOES NOT INTEND, AT THIS TIME, TO ACT OUTSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS IN SEEKING TO EASE WORLD TENSIONS.
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GETTYSBURG, PA.--3RD ADD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN X X X (A127WX) X X X TENSIONS.

THE PRESIDENT'S CABLE CLEARLY LEFT THE WAY OPEN FOR A SUMMIT CONFERENCE SOME TIME IN THE FUTURE IF ITS EFFORTS WITHIN THE U.N. SHOULD NOT BEAR FRUIT.

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WASHINGTON--SECOND LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN (A153) INSERT AFTER 8TH GRAPH "THE PRESIDENT WAS" X X PEACE.:

WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES G.HAGERTY WAS ASKED AT A LATER NEWS CONFERENCE WHETHER THE ADMINISTRATION FELT THE PEAK OF DANGER MAY HAVE PASSED IN EGYPT. HE REPLIED THAT HE DIDN'T WANT TO CHARACTERIZE THE ADMINISTRATION'S ATTITUDE IN THOSE WORDS.

"I THINK THE UNITED STATES' POSITION IS WELL KNOWN," HAGERTY CONTINUED. "WE NOT ONLY WANT A CEASE-FIRE BUT WE ARE SUPPORTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A UNITED NATIONS POLICE FORCE.

"WE HAVE TWO RESOLUTIONS PENDING IN THE U.N.FOR A PERMANENT SOLUTION TO THIS PROBLEM. UNTIL ALL OF THOSE THINGS HAPPEN THE UNITED STATES WILL CONTINUE TO PRESS FOR AN ULTIMATE SOLUTION."

HAGERTY CONFIRMED THAT EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT GAMAL ABDEL NASSER HAD SENT AN ORAL MESSAGE TO EISENHOWER THROUGH THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO EGYPT. HAGERTY WOULD NOT SAY WHETHER THERE HAS BEEN OR WILL BE ANY REPLY.

IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION, THE PRESS SECRETARY SAID THERE HAD BEEN NO REPLY TO A SWISS SUGGESTION FOR A SUMMIT MEETING TO DISCUSS THE SITUATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

KEY STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS JOINED EISENHOWER IN BRIEFING THE CONGRESS MEMBERS.

SEVERAL CONFEREES ETC., 9TH GRAPH.

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SOME LEGISLATORS WHO HAVE BEEN AWAY FROM OFFICIAL SOURCES OF INFORMATION DURING THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN MAY BE SURPRISED TO LEARN HOW SERIOUSLY THE PRESIDENT AND HIS AIDES REGARD THE SITUATION CENTERING IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

ISRAELI PRIME MINISTER BEN-GURION'S AGREEMENT TO PULL OUT OF EGYPT ONCE "SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENTS" ARE MADE FOR A UNITED NATIONS FORCE TO PATROL THE SUEZ CANAL AREA NOTICEABLY BRIGHTENS PROSPECTS FOR WINDING UP THE EGYPTIAN FIGHTING BEFORE SOVIET "VOLUNTEERS" CAN GET INTO IT.

THERE IS SOME ENCOURAGEMENT HERE, TOO, AT THE WAY IN WHICH U. S.-BRITISH-FRENCH COOPERATION IS BEING RESTORED IN THE FACE OF A RUSSIAN THREAT MARKED, AS IT HAS BEEN, BY OPEN REFERENCE TO THE POSSIBILITY OF A THIRD WORLD WAR.

BEN-GURION'S SWITCH, DISCLOSED IN A LETTER TO EISENHOWER WHICH THE WHITE HOUSE MADE PUBLIC LAST NIGHT, FOLLOWED A PERSONAL PLEA EISENHOWER HAD MADE A DAY EARLIER.

BEN-GURION HAD ANNOUNCED THEN THAT ISRAEL WOULD DEFY A U. N. RESOLUTION CALLING ON THAT COUNTRY TO GET ITS TROOPS OUT OF EGYPT'S SINAI PENINSULA AND COOPERATE WITH A U. N. POLICE FORCE BEING ORGANIZED.

IN HIS ABOUT-FACE, HE WROTE EISENHOWER:

"WE WILL, UPON CONCLUSION OF SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE UNITED NATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THIS INTERNATIONAL FORCE ENTERING THE SUEZ CANAL AREA, WILLINGLY WITHDRAW OUR FORCES."

BEN-GURION SAID ISRAEL WAS RENEWING A PLEA TO THE U. N. TO CALL UPON EGYPT TO STOP BORDER RAIDS AND TO ENTER INTO DIRECT PEACE NEGOTIATIONS. HE SENT A SIMILAR MESSAGE TO U. N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD.

EISENHOWER HAD WRITTEN BEN-GURION THAT ISRAEL'S ATTITUDE MIGHT "IMPAIR THE FRIENDLY COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES." HE MADE POINTED REFERENCES TO THE YEARS OF U. S. SUPPORT OF ISRAEL. SINCE THAT NATION WAS CREATED EIGHT YEARS AGO, THIS COUNTRY HAS ALLOCATED 256 MILLION DOLLARS FOR ISREALI AID--ALL BUT 13 MILLIONS OF IT SPENT.

EISENHOWER TOLD BEN-GURION ALSO THAT ISRAEL'S ANNOUNCED INTENTION TO HOLD ONTO THE TERRITORY WON FROM EGYPT WOULD "SERIOUSLY UNDERMINE" U. N. EFFORTS TO RESTORE MIDDLE EAST PEACE. HE SAID THE ONLY POSSIBLE RESULT WOULD BE THAT ISRAEL WOULD BE BRANDED AS "A VIOLATOR OF THE PRINCIPLES AS WELL AS THE DIRECTIVES OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

IN HIS REPLY, BEN-GURION SAID THAT "WE HAVE NEVER PLANNED TO ANNEX THE SINAI DESERT," SCENE OF MOST OF THE FIGHTING.

THE WHITE HOUSE SESSION AT WHICH THIS AND OTHER DEVELOPMENTS WERE UP FOR REVIEW WAS CALLED BY EISENHOWER ON WEDNESDAY, SHORTLY AFTER HIS RE-ELECTION. ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS SAID HE WAS DETERMINED TO CONTINUE EFFORTS TOWARD BIPARTISANSHIP IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS, PARTICULARLY SINCE DEMOCRATS CONTINUED IN A MAJORITY IN BOTH THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

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CUSTOMARILY THE PRESIDENT DOES NOT ASK AND IS NOT GIVEN ANY FORMAL COMMITMENTS AT SUCH SESSIONS, BUT IT APPEARED LIKELY THAT TOP DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS WOULD GIVE INFORMAL BACKING TO EISENHOWER'S PEACE EFFORTS.

SEN. SMATHERS (D-FLA), NOT ONE OF THE CONFEREES, SAID HE FEELS CONFIDENT DEMOCRATS IN CONGRESS WOULD PURSUE "NO PETTY PARTISANSHIP" IN INTERNATIONAL MATTERS.

"IT IS EVIDENT THE PRESIDENT HAS MOVED IN AND IS HANDLING THE SITUATION HIMSELF," SMATHERS SAID. "I THINK WE ARE GOING TO SEE SOME IMPROVEMENT. I HAVE THE FEELING THAT IF HE, AND NOT SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES, HAD BEEN INTIMATELY IN CHARGE PREVIOUSLY THE SITUATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST WOULD NOT HAVE COME ABOUT AS IT HAS."

EISENHOWER'S REPORT, BASED ON THE SWIFT COURSE OF THE EVENTS SINCE BRITAIN AND FRANCE ATTACKED EGYPT FOLLOWING ISRAEL'S ASSAULT ALMOST TWO WEEKS AGO, WAS EXPECTED TO COVER THESE MAJOR POINTS:

1. THE SOVIET UNION MAY HAVE BEEN EMBOLDENED TO PUT DOWN ANTI-MOSCOW REVOLTERS IN HUNGARY BECAUSE OF WESTERN PREOCCUPATION WITH THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS AND A WESTERN SPLIT CREATED BY THE BRITISH-FRENCH ACTION, WHICH THIS COUNTRY DISAPPROVED.

2. THERE IS GRAVE DANGER OF SOVIET INTERVENTION WITH "VOLUNTEERS" IN THE MIDDLE EAST UNLESS THE SITUATION CAN BE BROUGHT QUICKLY UNDER CONTROL OF A U. N. POLICE FORCE.

3. WITH THE CRUSHING OF THE FREEDOM MOVEMENT IN HUNGARY, THERE IS DANGER THAT THE SOVIETS MAY MOVE SOMEWHERE ELSE. LEADERS OF THE NEW INDEPENDENT COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT IN POLAND ARE WORRIED. THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS OF SOVIET TROOP MOVEMENTS TO THE POLISH BORDER AND ELSEWHERE.

4. SOVIET ENTRY INTO THE MIDDLE EAST FIGHTING WOULD CARRY A GRAVE DANGER OF TOUCHING OFF WORLD WAR II, ALTHOUGH INTERVENTION BY SOVIET "VOLUNTEERS" WOULD BE LESS DANGEROUS THAN OUTRIGHT USE OF REGULAR RUSSIAN LAND, SEA OR AIR UNITS.

5. RUSSIA WAS BADLY HURT IN WORLD OPINION BY ITS INTERVENTION IN HUNGARY AND HAS BEEN SEEKING TO "SAVE FACE" BY EXTENDING SOME SUPPORT TO EGYPT. THE SOVIETS MAY BE CONTENT TO CLAIM THAT THEIR THREAT OF ATTACK, MADE LAST MONDAY, WAS SUFFICIENT TO MAKE THE BRITISH AND FRENCH DECIDE TO GET OUT.

6. THE UNITED STATES WON A MORAL VICTORY IN CONDEMNING THE BRITISH-FRENCH ACTION AS WELL AS THE SOVIET ATTACK IN HUNGARY, BUT IN THE ARAB COUNTRIES RUSSIA HAS MADE CONSIDERABLE CAPITAL OUT OF ITS AVOWED READINESS TO BACK EGYPT WITH FORCE TO DRIVE BRITAIN AND FRANCE OUT IF THEY DIDN'T LEAVE PEACEABLY.

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SHORTLY BEFORE THE SESSION BEGAN, WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY TOLD NEWSMEN HE WANTED TO CORRECT WHAT HE TERMED SEVERAL "COCKEYED" REPORTS.

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THEN HE SAID "THERE ARE NO PLANS AT THE MOMENT" FOR BRITISH PRIME MINISTER ANTHONY EDEN AND FRENCH PREMIER GUY MOLLET TO CONFER HERE WITH THE PRESIDENT, AND THAT IT WAS NOT TRUE THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD ACCEPTED A SWISS GOVERNMENT INVITATION TO ATTEND A CONFERENCE WITH THE HEADS OF GOVERNMENT OF BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA AND INDIA.

IN PARIS, MOLLET HIMSELF TOLD REPORTERS IT WAS HIS INTENTION TO GO TO WASHINGTON SHORTLY FOR A MEETING WITH EISENHOWER. HE DID NOT SAY JUST WHEN HE WOULD GO.

IN LONDON, A SPOKESMAN FOR EDEN SAID "NO ARRANGEMENTS" HAD BEEN MADE FOR EDEN TO VISIT WASHINGTON.

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SEVERAL CONFEREES SAID THERE WAS EXTENDED DISCUSSION OF THE POSSIBILITY THAT SOVIET RUSSIA MIGHT INTERVENE EITHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY TO SUPPORT EGYPT AGAINST BRITAIN, FRANCE AND ISRAEL.
THE WEIGHT OF ADMINISTRATION OPINION WAS SAID TO BE THAT RUSSIA PROBABLY WILL NOT INTERVENE.
ON THIS POINT ADM.ARTHUR W.RADFORD, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, WAS QUOTED AS TELLING THE CONFERENCE THAT RUSSIA WOULD HAVE GREAT DIFFICULTY IN MOVING ANY TROOPS INTO EGYPT.

A159WX
DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HAVE RECEIVED REPORTS THAT RUSSIAN MIG JET FIGHTERS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN SENT TO SYRIA, ARAB NATION ADJOINING ISRAEL.
CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE SAID AFTER THE CONFERENCE HE DOES NOT BELIEVE THERE IS ANYTHING IN THE SITUATION "TO BE ALARMED ABOUT UNDULY."
GEORGE SAID THERE WAS NO SUGGESTION THAT EISENHOWER WAS THINKING OF CALLING A SPECIAL SESSION OF CONGRESS, NOR WAS THERE ANY INDICATION, GEORGE SAID, THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD ANY PLANS FOR ANOTHER CONFERENCE WITH THE CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS.

A160WX
GEORGE SAID THAT HERBERT HOOVER JR., ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE; ALLEN DULLES, HEAD OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, AND RADFORD DID MOST OF THE TALKING.
DESPITE SEVERE CRITICISM DURING THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN BY ADLAI E. STEVENSON OF EISENHOWER'S FOREIGN POLICIES, GEORGE SAID NO DEMOCRAT AT TODAY'S CONFERENCE VOICED ANY CRITICISM OF THE COURSE THE A[redacted]INISTRATION HAS PURSU EBTHE

AT TODAY'S CONFERENCE VOICED ANY CRITICISM OF THE COURSE THE ADMINISTRATION HAS PURSUED IN THE MIDDLE EAST.
SEN.JOHNSON SAID THE CONFERENCE FOLLOWED GENERALLY THE PATTERN OF SIMILAR CONFERENCES IN THE PAST, WITH THE PRESIDENT REVIEWING THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION AND BRINGING THE SENATE AND HOUSE MEMBERS UP-TO-DATE.

A161WX
HE SAID THAT EISENHOWER ASKED IF THERE WERE ANY QUESTIONS AND THAT SEVERAL WERE ASKED AND ANSWERED.
AS DID GEORGE, JOHNSON SAID THAT THERE WAS NO DISCUSSION OF CALLING A SPECIAL SESSION OF CONGRESS.
JOHNSON SAID THAT IN ADDITION TO THE DISCUSSIONS "WE SAW A VERY FRIGHTFUL MOVIE." HE EXPLAINED HE WAS REFERRING TO NEWSREELS OF THE FREEDOM REVOLT IN HUNGARY WHICH THE RUSSIANS HAVE RUTHLESSLY SUPPRESSED.
SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER KNOWLAND OF CALIFORNIA CALLED IT "A CONSTRUCTIVE AND VERY FRUITFUL MEETING," BUT DECLINED TO GO INTO ANY DETAIL.

A162WX
A REPORTER ASKED KNOWLAND WHETHER HE HAD ADVANCED "YOUR SUGGESTION" THAT THE UNITED STATES SEVER DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA.
KNOWLAND REPLIED THAT HE WAS NOT PREPARED TO GO INTO ANY OF THE DETAILS OF THE CONFERENCE.
JOHNSON, AFTER HIS FIRST TALK WITH REPORTERS, MADE SOME ADDITIONAL REMARKS FOR NEWSREEL CAMERAMEN.
SPEAKING INTO THEIR MICROPHONES, THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER SAID THE ADMINISTRATION "ASKED FOR NO COMMITMENTS" AND "NONE WERE GIVEN."
HE REFERRED TO THE CONFERENCE AS ONE WHICH WAS "GOOD FOR ALL AMERICA."

A163WX
AS FOR THE ROLE OF THE DEMOCRATS IN CONGRESS IN THE FOREIGN POLICY FIELD, JOHNSON SAID HIS PARTY MEMBERS WILL "GIVE RESPONSIBLE CONSIDERATION" TO ANY RECOMMENDATIONS THE PRESIDENT MAKES, "AND THEN DO WHAT IS BEST FOR AMERICA."
HE ADDED:
"OUR COUNTRY COMES FIRST."
ASKED WHETHER HE CONSIDERED THE SITUATION OUTLINED BY THE PRESIDENT AS A SERIOUS ONE, JOHNSON REPLIED:
"IT IS VERY OBVIOUS WE WOULD NOT HAVE HAD THE MEETING IF THE SITUATION WAS NOT A SERIOUS ONE."

A164WX
RESPONDING TO OTHER QUESTIONS, JOHNSON SAID THERE WAS NO DISCUSSION OF THE POSSIBILITY OF A NEW SUMMIT CONFERENCE OF THE MAJOR POWERS, OR ANY TALK ABOUT BRITISH PRIME MINISTER EDEN AND FRENCH PREMIER GUY MOLLET COMING TO THE UNITED STATES FOR CONFERENCES WITH EISENHOWER.
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FIRST LEAD RUMOR-DENIALS

WASHINGTON, NOV. 9 (AP)-FRENCH PREMIER GUY MOLLET SAID TODAY HE INTENDS TO VISIT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SHORTLY BUT THE WHITE HOUSE REPORTED THERE ARE NO PLANS FOR A BIG 3 MEETING HERE OF EISENHOWER, MOLLET AND BRITISH PRIME MINISTER ANTHONY EDEN.

WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C.HAGERTY TOLD NEWSMEN THERE HAD BEEN DISCUSSIONS OF A BIG 3 GET TOGETHER BUT "THERE ARE NO PLANS AT THIS MOMENT" FOR SUCH A CONFERENCE. A SPOKESMAN IN LONDON SAID EDEN HAD MADE "NO ARRANGEMENTS" FOR SUCH A TRIP.

MOLLET DISCLOSED IN PARIS HIS DESIRE TO VISIT WITH EISENHOWER WHEN QUESTIONED ABOUT A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE FRENCH NATIONAL ASSEMBLY'S FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE YESTERDAY. THE RESOLUTION PROPOSED A MEETING OF MOLLET, EDEN AND EISENHOWER AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE IN VIEW OF THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS.

MOLLET DID NOT SAY EXACTLY WHEN HE INTENDS TO MEET WITH EISENHOWER.

HAGERTY CALLED NEWSMEN TO HIS OFFICE THIS MORNING BEFORE WORD REACHED HERE OF MOLLET'S PARIS NEWS CONFERENCE AND SAID HE HAD SEEN WHAT HE TERMED SEVERAL "COCKEYED" NEWS DISPATCHES. HAGERTY SAID HE WANTED TO SET THE PICTURE STRAIGHT.

THEN HE WENT ON TO SAY THERE WAS NO TRUTH TO REPORTS THAT:

A109 1. EDEN AND MOLLET "ARE FLYING TO WASHINGTON FOR A MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT."

2. THE UNITED STATES HAD ACCEPTED A SWISS GOVERNMENT INVITATION TO ATTEND A CONFERENCE WITH THE HEADS OF GOVERNMENT OF GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA AND INDIA. HAGERTY SAID THE INVITATION "HAS NOT YET BEEN ANSWERED BY THE UNITED STATES."

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WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD RUMORS-DENIALS (A109) X X X UNITED STATES.
LATER, AFTER HIS SESSION WITH REPORTERS, HAGERTY SAID HE WANTED TO CLARIFY HIS REMARKS ABOUT THE REPORTS OF AN EDEN-MOLLET MEETING WITH EISENHOWER HERE.

"WHILE THERE HAVE BEEN DISCUSSIONS, THERE ARE NO PLANS AT THIS MOMENT FOR SUCH A MEETING," HAGERTY SAID.

A REPORTER NOTED HAGERTY'S REFERENCE TO "THIS MOMENT" AND ASKED WHETHER HE WAS HOLDING OPEN THE POSSIBILITY THAT PLANS FOR SUCH A CONFERENCE MIGHT DEVELOP LATER.

HAGERTY SIMPLY REPEATED THAT THERE ARE NO PLANS NOW FOR A BIG 3 CONFERENCE HERE.

THE SWISS INVITATION FOR A NEW SUMMIT CONFERENCE WAS EXTENDED LAST TUESDAY. THE SWISS GOVERNMENT SUGGESTED SUCH A MEETING COULD HELP AVERT DANGER OF A THIRD WORLD WAR.

ON ANOTHER MATTER, HAGERTY SAID HE ALSO HAD SEEN REPORTS THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD ANSWERED A NEW NOTE FROM SOVIET PREMIER BULGANIN. THE PRESS SECRETARY SAID EISENHOWER HAS RECEIVED SUCH A NOTE, BUT THAT IT HAS NOT BEEN ANSWERED.

HE DECLINED TO PROVIDE ANY INFORMATION ON THE CONTENTS OF THE BULGANIN MESSAGE BUT RADIO MOSCOW SAID LAST NIGHT IT WARNED THAT RUSSIA WOULD NOT TOLERATE ANY INTERFERENCE IN THE SOVIET DRIVE TO SMASH THE HUNGARIAN UPRISING.

MEANWHILE, THE NEW BRITISH AMBASSADOR, SIR HAROLD ANTHONY CACCIA, CALLED AT THE WHITE HOUSE THIS MORNING AND PRESENTED HIS CREDENTIALS TO EISENHOWER.

ASKED WHETHER THERE WAS ANY DISCUSSION OF THE MIDDLE EAST SITUATION, CACCIA REPLIED:

"ANYTHING THE PRESIDENT WANTS TO SAY ON THAT WILL HAVE TO BE SAID BY MR. HAGERTY."

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HE SAID IT ALREADY HAS BEEN MADE CLEAR IN THE UNITED NATIONS THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT CONTRIBUTE ANY TROOPS TO THE PROPOSED U.N. POLICE FORCE.

HAGERTY SAID THIS COUNTRY'S ROLE WILL BE CONFINED, AS PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED, TO HELPING WITH TRANSPORTATION OF SUCH A FORCE, AND OTHER SUPPLY AND SUPPORT MEASURES.

A194WX

THE FRIDAY MORNING CONFERENCE OF DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS WILL PROVIDE EISENHOWER WITH HIS FIRST OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW THE SITUATIONS IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND CENTRAL EUROPE WITH THE LEGISLATORS.

THOSE INVITED INCLUDE HOUSE SPEAKER SAM RAYBURN (D-TEX), HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER JOSEPH W. MARTIN JR. (MASS), SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER WILLIAM F. KNOWLAND (CALIF), AND SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LYNDON JOHNSON (TEX).

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IN ADDITION, HAGERTY SAID, TOP MEMBERS OF BOTH PARTIES SERVING ON THE ARMED SERVICES, APPROPRPATIOMS AND FOREIGN RELATIONS CMMMITTEES OF BOTH HOUSES ARE BEING ASKED TO ATTEND.

EISENHOWER CONFERRED ETC., 3RD GRAPH A168WX

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BULLETIN

FIRST LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN

WASHINGTON, NOV. 7 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY CALLED CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS OF BOTH PARTIES TO A WHITE HOUSE MEETING FRIDAY FOR DISCUSSION OF STEPS TOWARD CREATION OF A LASTING PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

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BULLETIN MATTER

WASHINGTON--1ST ADD FIRST LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN X X EAST.

EISENHOWER'S PRESS SECRETARY, JAMES C. HAGERTY, SAID THE CONFERENCE ALSO WOULD DEAL WITH THE SITUATION IN CENTRAL EUROPE. THAT WOULD INCLUDE THE PICTURE IN HUNGARY AND POLAND.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, HAGERTY SAID THAT "AT THE PRESENT TIME" EISENHOWER HAS NO PLANS TO CALL A SPECIAL SESSION OF CONGRESS.

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WASHINGTON --FIRST LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN (A190-191) SUB FOR FOURTH, FIFTH AND SIXTH GRAF, "HAGERTY ALSO X X X FAIR ASSUMPTION."

THE WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCED THIS MORNING THAT THE PRESIDENT WOULD MEET LATER IN THE DAY WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE WILSON AND ADM. ARTHUR RADFORD, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF. LATER, HOWEVER, IT WAS ANNOUNCED THE CONFERENCE HAD BEEN CANCELED.

HAGERTY SAID IT HAD BEEN DECIDED THERE WAS NO NEED FOR THE MEETING AT THIS TIME. HAGERTY HAD SAID EARLIER THE SESSION WOULD DEAL WITH U. S. PLANS TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION AND SUPPLIES FOR THE UNITED NATIONS POLICE FORCE PROPOSED FOR MIDDLE EAST DUTY.

HE SAID, ETC., SEVENTH GRAF

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NIGHT LEAD EISENHOWER FOREIGN

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BY JOHN A. SCALI
WASHINGTON, NOV. 7 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER MOVED SWIFTLY TODAY TO STRENGTHEN BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY. HE CALLED CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS TO A WHITE HOUSE MEETING FRIDAY ON CRITICAL MIDDLE EAST AND EUROPEAN DEVELOPMENTS.
THE CALL TO KEY LEGISLATORS WENT OUT ONLY A FEW MINUTES BEFORE DEMOCRATS, BUCKING THE EISENHOWER LANDSLIDE, CLINCHED CONTROL OF BOTH THE SENATE AND HOUSE.
OBVIOUSLY WORRIED BY RUSSIA'S MORE BELLIGERENT POLICIES, EISENHOWER EARLIER WENT TO THE ARMY'S WALTER REED MEDICAL CENTER FOR AN UNUSUAL BEDSIDE CONFERENCE WITH HIS SECRETARY OF STATE, JOHN FOSTER DULLES.
THE WHITE HOUSE REPORTED AFTERWARD THAT THE PRESIDENT, ACCOMPANIED BY ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE HERBERT HOOVER JR., DISCUSSED BOTH THE MIDDLE EAST FIGHTING AND RUSSIA'S MILITARY ONSLAUGHT AGAINST HUNGARY. THE MEETING LASTED 30 MINUTES.
WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES HAGERTY, IN ANNOUNCING THE PRESIDENT'S DECISION TO MEET WITH CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS, MADE CLEAR IT WAS NOT FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASKING APPROVAL TO SEND AMERICAN TROOPS INTO THE MIDDLE EAST AS PART OF A UNITED NATIONS POLICE FORCE.
THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT'S ROLE, HE STRESSED, WILL BE CONFINED, AS PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED, TO PROVIDING QUICK TRANSPORTATION AND SUPPLIES NEEDED TO MOVE SUCH A UN FORCE INTO THE AREA.
OTHER TOP OFFICIALS EMPHASIZED THE ADMINISTRATION CONTINUES TO FAVOR USING ONLY TROOPS FROM SMALL NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES FOR SUCH A PEACE-MAKING ROLE. THIS APPEARED TO RULE OUT AMERICAN APPROVAL OF OFFERS BY COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND ROMANIA TO CONTRIBUTE TROOPS.
DESPITE SOME UNEASINESS OVER RUSSIA'S THREATS TO USE FORCE TO STOP MIDDLE EAST FIGHTING, HAGERTY SAID THE PRESIDENT HAS NO PLANS "AT THIS TIME" TO SUMMON CONGRESS INTO SPECIAL SESSION.
EISENHOWER AND TOP AIDES ARE RELIABLY REPORTED CONCERNED, BUT NOT OVERLY ALARMED, BY THE VIOLENT TONE OF RUSSIAN STATEMENTS SINCE THE RED ARMY BEGAN ITS MILITARY CRACKDOWN ON HUNGARY SATURDAY.
MOST OFFICIALS CONTINUE TO BELIEVE THAT THE SOVIET THREATS, INCLUDING HINTS SOVIET "VOLUNTEERS" MAY BE SENT TO HELP EGYPT, ARE MAINLY PROPAGANDA AIMED AT DIVERTING WORLD ATTENTION FROM THE REPRISALS AGAINST HUNGARIAN ANTI-COMMUNISTS.
AN APPRAISAL OF RUSSIAN INTENTIONS APPEARS TO BE IN PROSPECT FOR DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN SENATE AND HOUSE LEADERS WHEN THEY MEET WITH EISENHOWER FRIDAY MORNING.
AMONG THOSE INVITED ARE SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LYNDON JOHNSON (TEXAS), HOUSE SPEAKER SAM RAYBURN (TEXAS), REPUBLICAN HOUSE LEADER MARTIN ((MASS.) AND SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER KNOWLAND (CALIF). IN ADDITION, TOP MEMBERS SERVING ON FOREIGN RELATIONS, ARMED SERVICES AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES FROM BOTH HOUSES HAVE BEEN ASKED TO ATTEND.

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EISENHOWER WAS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE DECIDED ON THE MEETING WITH LEGISLATORS EVEN BEFORE YESTERDAY'S NATIONWIDE BALLOTING SWEPT HIM BACK INTO OFFICE FOR ANOTHER FOUR YEARS.
TOP STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ARE KNOWN TO HAVE URGED THE MEETING, ESPECIALLY IN AN EFFORT TO PATCH UP THE ADMINISTRATION'S DIFFERENCES WITH THE DEMOCRATS OVER HANDLING THE SUEZ CRISIS.
NOW THAT THE CAMPAIGNING FOR VOTES IS OVER, AUTHORITIES FEEL SUCH A MEETING WILL DEMONSTRATE TO THE RUSSIANS THAT BASICALLY BOTH PARTIES ARE UNITED IN DEALING WITH THIS CRISIS. SUCH A SHOW OF UNITY, IT WAS BELIEVED, MIGHT SERVE TO PREVENT THE SOVIETS FROM MISCALCULATING THE AMOUNT OF BACKING THAT WOULD DWING BEHIND EISENHOWER IN ANY EMERGENCY.
TO DEMONSTRATE STERN DISAPPROVAL OF RUSSIA'S HUNGARIAN CRACKDOWN, THE STATE DEPARTMENT ORDERED NONE OF ITS OFFICIALS--FROM TOP POLICY MAKERS TO DESK OFFICERS--TO ATTEND THE GALA RECEPTION AT THE SOVIET EMBASSY TONIGHT WHICH CELEBRATED THE 39TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BOLSHEVIK REVOLUTION.

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A168 EISENHOWER CONFERRED THIS MORNING WITH ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE HERBERT HOOVER JR. AT THE WHITE HOUSE AND THEN WENT WITH HOOVER TO VISIT SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES AT WALTER REED ARMY HOSPITAL. DULLES IS RECOUPERATING FROM LAST SATURDAY'S OPERATION FOR REMOVAL OF AN INESTINAL OBSTRUCTION.

WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY TOLD REPORTERS EISENHOWER AND HOOVER DISCUSSED THE MIDDLE EAST SITUATION AND "CENTRAL EUROPE."

HAGERTY WAS ASKED WHETHER THERE WAS DISCUSSION OF SWITZERLAND'S PROPOSAL YESTERDAY OF A MEETING OF BRITAIN, FRANCE, THE UNITED STATES, RUSSIA AND INDIA TO MEET THE DANGERS OF A THIRD WORLD WAR. HE SAID THE PROBLEM DID NOT COME UP.

U. S. AND FOREIGN DIPLOMATS AGREE THAT SOME DISPLAY OF A SOLID FRONT WITHIN THE UNITED STATES IS URGENT LEST RUSSIA AND OTHER NATIONS MISCALCULATE THE AMERICAN POSITION ON THE BASIS OF CAMPAIGN DISPUTES. EQUALLY URGENT -- AND FAR MORE DIFFICULT -- ARE MOVES TO PATCH UP THE CRUMBLING UNITY OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE.

ONE MOVE WHICH SOME OFFICIALS BELIEVE THE PRESIDENT MAY MAKE ON THE DIPLOMATIC FRONT IS TO ADDRESS THE FORTHCOMING, FULL-DRESS SESSION OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

WITH SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES ILL, EISENHOWER PROBABLY WILL GIVE SERIOUS CONSIDERATION TO A PERSONAL APPEARANCE BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY TO WHICH MANY OTHER NATIONS WILL SEND THEIR FOREIGN MINISTERS. HOWEVER, IT WAS SAID AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO FORMAL PROPOSAL FOR HIS ATTENDANCE AND NO DECISION ON IT HERE.

TWO OTHER MOVES ARE ALSO UNDER INFORMAL DISCUSSION:

1. FOR THE PRESIDENT TO CALL IN PROMPTLY THE CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS OF BOTH PARTIES, BRIEF THEM THOROUGHLY ON FOREIGN POLICY DEVELOPMENTS OF THE LAST SEVERAL WEEKS, OUTLINE ADMINISTRATION PLANS FOR THE FUTURE AND SOLICIT THEIR COOPERATION.

2. FOR THE PRESIDENT PERSONALLY TO UNDERTAKE TO IMPROVE BASIC RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND ITS CHIEF EUROPEAN ALLIES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE. THIS COULD LEAD TO A BIG THREE SUMMIT MEETING AIMED AT BRIDGING THE WIDE SPLIT OVER THE BRITISH-FRENCH ATTACK ON EGYPT.

THERE HAS BEEN NO ENTHUSIASM HERE FOR THE SWISS GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSAL YESTERDAY TO CALL A SUMMIT CONFERENCE, INCLUDING RUSSIA AND INDIA, TO DEAL WITH THE PRESENT MIDDLE EAST CRISIS. UNITED STATES POLICY IN THAT FIELD IS NOW CONCENTRATED ENTIRELY IN THE UNITED NATIONS. OFFICIALS SAID THEY WOULD NOT WANT TO DO ANYTHING THAT WOULD DIVERT ATTENTION OR SUPPORT FROM THE U. N. EFFORT.

FURTHERMORE, WASHINGTON LEADERS FROM THE PRESIDENT DOWN ARE AGAINST ANY MOVE THAT COULD BE INTERPRETED AS CONDONING SOVIET MILITARY OPERATIONS TO CRUSH THE UPRISING AGAINST MOSCOW RULE OVER HUNGARY. A RENEWAL OF THE SUMMIT CONFERENCE TYPE OF DIPLOMACY AT THIS TIME COULD VERY WELL HAVE THAT RESULT.

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ELECTION-INTERNATIONAL

WASHINGTON, NOV. 5 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SAID TODAY THAT NO MATTER HOW TOMORROW'S ELECTION TURNS OUT, REJOICING SHOULD BE LIMITED BECAUSE "OUR FRIENDS IN EASTERN EUROPE STILL ARE ENSLAVED IN SUFFERING AND THERE STILL IS A THREAT TO WORLD PEACE IN EGYPT."

EISENHOWER MADE THE STATEMENT IN INFORMAL REMARKS DURING A VISIT TO REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS.

HE SPOKE TO ABOUT 250 PARTY WORKERS AND CITIZENS FOR EISENHOWER COMMITTEE VOLUNTEERS TO THANK THEM FOR THEIR EFFORTS IN BEHALF OF HIS RE-ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

THE PRESIDENT TOLD THE GROUP:

"I BELIEVE THAT EVERYBODY WHO DOES A LITTLE MORE THAN HIS PLAIN DUTY (IN A CAMPAIGN YEAR) DESERVES THE ADMIRATION OF ALL AMERICANS.

"I THINK THIS PRICELESS PRIVILEGE OF JUST VOTING, FOR WHICH SO MANY PEOPLE NOW ARE DYING" POINTS UP HOW VOTING "MAKES AMERICA LIVE AND FREE GOVERNMENT LIVE."

THE PRESIDENT SPENT ABOUT 10 MINUTES AT GOP HEADQUARTERS, LOCATED A FEW BLOCKS FROM THE WHITE HOUSE.

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WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD NIGHT LEAD EISENHOWER-FOREIGN (A22) X X X

REVOLUTION.

THE PRESIDENT'S FOREIGN POLICY ADVISERS WERE ALSO REPORTED CONSIDERING A RECOMMENDATION THAT HE MAKE THESE OTHER TWO MOVES TO PROP UP THE SAGGING UNITY OF THE WESTERN WORLD:

1. ADDRESS THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO REASSERT AMERICA'S DEDICATION TO PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF ALL INTERNATIONAL DISPUTES, WHETHER THEY INVOLVE FRIENDS OR COMMUNIST RIVALS.

2. A BIG THREE MEETING WITH BRITAIN'S ANTHONY EDEN AND FRENCH PREMIER MOLLET TO RESTORE THE CLOSE DAY-TO-DAY PARTNERSHIP IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS THAT EXISTED BEFORE THE FRENCH-BRITISH ATTACK ON EGYPT.

NO DECISION ON EITHER OF THESE MOVES HAS BEEN MADE. BUT THE MERE FACT THEY ARE BEING CONSIDERED DEMONSTRATES THE DEGREE OF BACKSTAGE CONCERN OVER THE NEED FOR A SOLID WESTERN FRONT IN THE FACE OF RUSSIA'S TOUGHER MOVES OF THE PAST WEEK.

THERE SEEMS TO BE LITTLE ENTHUSIASM AT THIS TIME FOR A BIG FIVE SUMMIT CONFERENCE WITH RUSSIA AND RED CHINA AS PROPOSED BY SWITZERLAND YESTERDAY. THE ATTITUDE SEEMS TO BE THAT THE BIG THREE SHOULD FIRST REPAIR THE UNITY IN THEIR OWN RANKS BEFORE CONSIDERING TOP LEVEL MEETINGS WITH THE COMMUNISTS.

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FOREIGN-INTERPRETIVE
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

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WASHINGTON, NOV. 5 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WAS REPORTED HOPEFUL TODAY THAT HIS PERSONAL APPEAL TO SOVIET PREMIER BULGANIN WOULD EXERT A RESTRAINING INFLUENCE ON THE RE-IMPOSITION OF SOVIET TYRANNY IN HUNGARY.

UNITED STATES OFFICIALS FEARED, HOWEVER, THAT A REIGN OF TERROR, MARKED BY MASS ARRESTS AND BLOODY PURGES, WOULD FOLLOW RUSSIA'S RUTHLESS MILITARY SUPPRESSION OF THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S SHORT-LIVED BID FOR FREEDOM.

THOUGH THE HOPE OF EXERCISING ANY MAJOR RESTRAINT ON SOVIET CONDUCT WAS ADMITTEDLY SLIGHT, THEY SAID THAT EVERYTHING POSSIBLE AND PRACTICAL MUST BE DONE TO ACHIEVE THAT RESULT.

IN AN URGENT MESSAGE TO BULGANIN, WHICH HE ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY, EISENHOWER ASKED FOR WITHDRAWAL OF SOVIET TROOPS FROM HUNGARY AND APPEALED FOR RECOGNITION OF THE RIGHT OF THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE TO CHOOSE THEIR OWN GOVERNMENT.

THE MESSAGE WAS A MOVE IN AMERICAN EFFORTS TO MAKE THE BEST OF TWO BAD SITUATIONS WITH WHICH THE ADMINISTRATION HERE WAS CONFRONTED IN THE FINAL HOURS BEFORE TUESDAY'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

THE OTHER PROBLEM WHICH OCCUPIED THE ANXIOUS ATTENTION OF EISENHOWER AND HIS CHIEF ADVISERS AT A LONG WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE YESTERDAY WAS THE CRISIS IN THE MIDDLE EAST AS IT HAS BEEN INTENSIFIED BY BRITISH AND FRENCH ATTACKS ON EGYPT.

EISENHOWER'S STATEMENT YESTERDAY SAID THAT IN ADDITION TO GOING OVER "THE WAYS AND MEANS AVAILABLE TO THE UNITED STATES" FOR TRYING TO OBTAIN FREEDOM FOR HUNGARY, HE AND HIS ADVISERS HAD ENGAGED IN "A THOROUGH REVIEW OF THE MIDDLE EAST SITUATION" AND THE WORK GOING ON IN THE UNITED NATIONS TO RESTORE PEACE THERE.

THE ADMINISTRATION WAS REPORTED READY TO GIVE ALL SUPPORT NECESSARY TO THE PROPOSED CREATION OF A UNITED NATIONS POLICE FORCE TO MOVE INTO THE MIDDLE EAST IN THE INTEREST OF ESTABLISHING AND MAINTAINING PEACEFUL CONDITIONS.

THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY VOTED LAST NIGHT TO ESTABLISH SUCH A FORCE, IN A RESOLUTION WHICH SPECIFICALLY EXCLUDED USE OF TROOPS FROM THE BIG POWERS, THE UNITED STATES, SOVIET UNION, BRITAIN, FRANCE AND NATIONALIST CHINA.

U.S. CHIEF DELEGATE HENRY CABOT LODGE JR. TOLD THE ASSEMBLY THE UNITED STATES WOULD COOPERATIVE FULLY, AND WOULD FURNISH TRANSPORTATION, SUPPLIES, AN AIRLIFT AND SHIPPING FOR IT.

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INCLUSION OF TROOPS ONLY FROM THE SMALLER NATIONS COINCIDED WITH THE VIEW OF U.S. OFFICIALS THAT SUCH ACTION WOULD AVOID ANY QUESTION OF BIG POWER INTERVENTION IN THE AFFAIRS OF EGYPT OR OTHER MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES, AND WOULD PROBABLY AVOID AN ISSUE WITH RUSSIA OVER SOVIET PARTICIPATION.

AMERICAN INTEREST IN THE POLICE FORCE PLAN ARISES PRIMARILY AS A MEANS OF EASING BRITAIN AND FRANCE OFF THEIR ANNOUNCED DETERMINATION TO SIEZE AND OCCUPY THE SUEZ CANAL AREA.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, WHICH OPPOSED THE BRITISH-FRENCH ATTACK ON EGYPT FROM THE BEGINNING, IS MORE ANXIOUS THAN EVER TO STRAIGHTEN OUT THIS CONFLICT AND TO REPAIR THE DAMAGE IT HAS DONE TO THE WESTERN ALLIANCE.

THERE IS RESENTMENT AND DISMAY IN THE HIGH QUARTERS OF THE WASHINGTON GOVERNMENT THAT THE WEST SHOULD HAVE BEEN SO BADLY DIVIDED WHEN THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT DECIDED TO SMASH THE HUNGARIAN FREEDOM MOVEMENT WITH THE DEVASTATING FORCE OF ITS ARMORED LEGIONS.

HAD THE WEST BEEN UNITED, WITH A CLEAR RECORD OF AVOIDING THE USE OF MILITARY FORCE AGAINST SMALLER NATIONS, WASHINGTON OFFICIALS ARE CONVINCED THAT IT COULD HAVE EXERTED MUCH GREATER MORAL AND POLITICAL PRESSURE ON THE SOVIET UNION IN THIS CRITICAL PERIOD IN EASTERN EUROPE.

THERE REMAINED A QUESTION WHAT CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED NOW TO DETER RUSSIAN MOVES IN HUNGARY.

BROADLY, THE AMERICAN PURPOSE IS TO TRY TO CREATE SUCH A PRESSURE OF WORLD OPINION AGAINST THE SOVIETS THAT SOME OF THE AIMS FOR WHICH THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE REVOLTED MAY BE WON.

ONLY A FEW DAYS AGO MOSCOW WAS TALKING ABOUT NEGOTIATING WITH THE EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ON THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF SOVIET FORCES WITHIN THEIR BORDERS. IT HAD DISPLAYED AN ALARMED BUT SLIGHTLY CONCILIATORY ATTITUDE TOWARD THE NEW LEADERSHIP DEVELOPING IN HUNGARY.

YESTERDAY'S EVENTS SHOWED THAT ATTITUDE HAS BEEN AT LEAST TEMPORARILY ABANDONED, BUT THERE REMAINED SOME HOPE THAT THE POST-STALIN POLICIES OF COMMUNIST PARTY BOSS NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV AND PREMIER NIKOLAI BULGANIN MAY AGAIN BECOME THE DOMINANT INFLUENCE IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SOVIET RELATIONS WITH THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES.

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A100WX
(950) EISENHOWER-FOREIGN (ROUNDUP) E-7P
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, NOV. 4 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER URGENTLY APPEALED TO PREMIER BULGANIN TODAY TO PULL SOVIET TROOPS OUT OF HUNGARY AND ACCEPT POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE FOR THAT BATTERED COUNTRY.
AT THE SAME TIME, IN EMERGENCY TALKS AT THE WHITE HOUSE, EISENHOWER BEGAN SHAPING POLICY ON THE CRITICAL QUESTION OF SUPPORT FOR ANY UNITED NATIONS POLICE ACTION IN THE MIDDLE EAST--A QUESTION WHICH RAISES THE ISSUE OF USE OF UNITED STATES FORCES.
THE MOST LIKELY POSSIBILITY SEEN IN DIPLOMATIC AND OFFICIAL QUARTERS HERE IS THAT THE UNITED STATES PROBABLY WOULD HAVE TO GET BEHIND ANY U.N. POLICE OPERATION WITH NAVAL TRANSPORTATION AND SUPPORT, BUT WITHOUT EMPLOYING AMERICAN TROOPS.
THE DOMINANT FEELING AMONG TOP OFFICIALS HERE, IT WAS LEARNED, IS THAT THE U.N. IN TAKING SUCH AN ACTION IN A SMALL NATION LIKE EGYPT SHOULD DRAW TROOPS FROM OTHER SMALL NATIONS AND THUS AVOID ANY QUESTION OF A BIG POWER MOVING IN.
EISENHOWER SENT HIS MESSAGE TO BULGANIN AFTER HE MET IN AN EXTRAORDINARY SUNDAY CONFERENCE THIS AFTERNOON WITH ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE HERBERT HOOVER JR. AND ALLEN DULLES, DIRECTOR OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND BROTHER OF THE AILING SECRETARY OF STATE, JOHN FOSTER DULLES.
IN A STATEMENT EISENHOWER SAID THE WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE DISCUSSED "THE WAYS AND MEANS AVAILABLE TO THE UNITED STATES WHICH WOULD RESULT IN:
"1. WITHDRAWAL OF SOVIET TROOPS FROM HUNGARY.
"2. ACHIEVE FOR HUNGARY ITS OWN RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION IN THE CHOICE OF ITS OWN GOVERNMENT."
THE PRESIDENT THEN SAID HE HAD SENT "AN URGENT MESSAGE TO PREMIER BULGANIN ON THESE POINTS."
SELDOM, IF EVER IN THIS NATION'S HISTORY HAS THE PRESIDENT HAD TO FACE SUCH DELICATE AND DANGEROUS PROBLEMS TWO DAYS BEFORE A NATIONAL ELECTION AS EISENHOWER WAS CONFRONTED WITH IN THE WORLD SITUATION THIS WEEKEND.
HE WAS HANDICAPPED, MOREOVER, BY THE LOSS OF THE SERVICES OF SECRETARY DULLES, THE MAN ON WHOM HE HAS RELIEF FOR HIS WHOLE FOUR YEARS IN THE WHITE HOUSE TO CHART AND DIRECT THE TACTICS OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY.
OFFICIALS AGREED THAT WHILE THE ADMINISTRATION HAD TO WORK ON EVERY POSSIBLE LINE OF ACTION TO TRY AND SAVE MAXIMUM FREEDOM FOR THE PEOPLE OF HUNGARY, THERE WERE VERY FEW "WAYS AND MEANS AVAILABLE" TO THE PRESIDENT TO DO SOMETHING.

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AVENUES OF ACTION INCLUDED, OBVIOUSLY, THE MESSAGE TO BULGANIN--THE LATEST IN A LONG AND UNPRODUCTIVE SERIES BETWEEN THE WHITE HOUSE AND THE KREMLIN--ONE OR MORE RESOLUTIONS IN THE UNITED NATIONS, PROTESTS DIRECTLY TO MOSCOW AGAINST VIOLATING THE INDEPENDENCE CLAUSES OF THE HUNGARIAN PEACE TREATY, AND DIPLOMATIC ACTION SUCH AS BREAKING OFF RELATIONS ON THE PART OF VARIOUS COUNTRIES.
TWO THINGS SEEMED CERTAIN. UNITED STATES MILITARY INTERVENTION IN HUNGARY OR ANYWHERE ELSE IN EASTERN EUROPE AND A DIPLOMATIC BREAK BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND MOSCOW WERE OUT OF THE QUESTION; EVERY OFFICIAL HAS AGREED ON THAT SINCE THE POLISH AND HUNGARIAN CRISES FIRST DEVELOPED.
THE RANGE OF ACTION IN THE MIDDLE EAST WAS BROADER. THAT IS AN AREA IN WHICH THE UNITED STATES HAS PLAYED AN INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT ROLE FOR 10 YEARS.
THIS GOVERNMENT IS UNACCUSTOMED, HOWEVER, TO ACTING WITH COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE OF THE POLICIES OF BRITAIN AND FRANCE. THE SPLIT WITH THOSE ALLIES CREATED A NEW SITUATION WHICH EISENHOWER REPORTEDLY WANTS TO HANDLE IN SUCH A WAY AS TO MINIMIZE THE ALLIED BREAKDOWN AND AT THE SAME TIME PROVE THIS COUNTRY'S RESPECT FOR THE SMALL NATIONS OF THE MIDDLE EAST.
IN KEEPING WITH THIS, THE UNITED STATES LIKE MANY OTHER FRIENDLY GOVERNMENTS IS USING ALL ITS DIPLOMATIC RESOURCES TO FIND SOME FORMULA FOR GETTING BRITAIN AND FRANCE OFF THE HOOK OF THEIR INTERVENTION AGAINST EGYPT.
APPARENTLY THE MOST HOPEFUL APPROACH SO FAR DEVELOPED, IN VIEW OF TOP WASHINGTON OFFICIALS, IS THAT OF CANADIAN FOREIGN MINISTER LESTER B. PEARSON. PEARSON PROPOSED, AND THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY SATURDAY RECOMMENDED, WORK ON A U.N. POLICE FORCE TO KEEP PEACE IN THE STRIFE-RENT MIDDLE EAST.
THIS, DIPLOMATS SAY, SHOULD INVOLVE A FORCE OF NOT MORE THAN 7,000 OR 8,000 MEN IN PEARSON'S OPINION. SUCH A FORCE COULD EASILY BE RAISED IN NATIONS LIKE CANADA, NEW ZEALAND AND SOME OF THE SMALLER EUROPEAN AND ASIAN STATES.

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IF THE PLAN CAN BE DEVELOPED AND PUT INTO OPERATION QUICKLY ENOUGH, IT MAY PROVIDE A WAY OUT FOR BRITAIN AND FRANCE ON THEIR COMMITTMENT TO SEIZE AND "TEMPORARILY" HOLD THE SUEZ CANAL.
OFFICIALS SAID IT WOULD NOT UN-DO THE HUGE DAMAGE, AS THEY SEE IT, ALREADY CAUSED BY THE BRITISH-FRENCH INTERVENTION, BUT IT WOULD KEEP THE SITUATION FROM GOING FROM ONE DISASTEROUS STAGE TO ANOTHER.
THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WOULD LIKE TO WORK THE PROBLEM OUT IN SUCH A WAY THAT THERE WOULD BE NO INVOLVEMENT OF SOVIET TROOPS IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND THE BELIEF HERE IS THAT FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS WOULD NEVER BE ACCEPTABLE TO EGYPT EVEN UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS' FLAG. IF THE WHOLE OPERATION COULD BE KEPT TO A SMALL NATION ENTERPRISE, IT WOULD BE BETTER ON VIRTUALLY ALL POINTS, IN THE AMERICAN VIEW.
THIS OBVIOUSLY COINCIDES WITH U.S. GOVERNMENT WISHES, ESPECIALLY AT THIS TIME. PRESIDENT EISENHOWER, AFTER REVIEWING THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS IN A SPEECH LAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT, SAID THAT "IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES I HAVE DESCRIBED, THERE WILL NO NO UNITED STATES INVOLVEMENT IN THESE PRESENT HOSTILITIES" AND HE SAID A SPECIAL SESSION OF CONGRESS WOULD THEREFORE BE UNNECESSARY.
OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT A U.N. AGREEMENT TO TAKE POLICE ACTION COULD BE CONSTRUED TO MEAN THAT NEW "CIRCUMSTANCES" HAD DEVELOPED OR THAT THE "HOSTILITIES" WHICH EXISTED ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT HAD CLEARLY CHANGED UNDER U.N. ACTION INTO SOMETHING DIFFERENT.
THERE WAS NO DECISION AGAINST THE USE OF UNITED STATES FORCES IF THE U.N. NEEDED THEM; THERE WAS A FEELING IN THE HIGHEST QUARTERS HERE TONIGHT THAT IT WOULD ONLY BE NECESSARY, HOWEVER, FOR THE UNITED STATES TO PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR THE TROOPS OF SMALL NATIONS.
WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY ETC. 6TH GRAF A56 HUNGARIAN.
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WHEN EISENHOWER VISITED DULLES AT WALTER REED, THE PRESIDENT TOLD THE ARMY SURGEON WHO OPERATED ON THE 68-YEAR-OLD SECRETARY:

"TAKE CARE OF THE BOY. I NEED HIM."

THE DOCTOR, MAJ. GEN. LEONARD D. HEATON, SHOOK HANDS WITH EISENHOWER AND ASSURED HIM, "I WILL."

HEATON, THE WALTER REED COMMANDANT WHO ALSO PERFORMED ABDOMINAL SURGERY ON EISENHOWER LAST JUNE, TOLD NEWSMEN THAT DULLES IS "FINE, REACTING VERY NICELY."

EARLIER, AT NATIONAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, THE PRESIDENT HEARD A PRAYER THAT THE NATION GET DIVINE GUIDANCE IN TUESDAY'S NATIONAL ELECTION.

HIS PASTOR, THE REV. EDWARD L. R. ELSON, ALSO OFFERED PRAYERS FOR THE SPEEDY RECOVERY OF DULLES--THAT HE MAY CONTINUE "GOOD AND RIGHTEOUS WORK," THE MINISTER SAID--AND FOR THE FREEDOM HOPES OF HUNGARY, POLAND AND OTHER "CAPTIVE STATES."

THE PRESIDENT WAS ACCOMPANIED TO THE SERVICE BY HIS WIFE, THEIR SON, MAJ. JOHN S. EISENHOWER, AND DAUGHTER-IN-LAW, BARBARA.

EISENHOWER BOWED HIS HEAD AS DR. ELSON PRAYED THAT GOD MIGHT DIRECT "OUR NATION AND ITS LEADER" TO A WISE COURSE IN THE CURRENT CRISIS.

THE MINISTER ASKED, TOO, IN HIS PRAYER THAT GOD "GUIDE THE PEOPLE OF THIS NATION IN THEIR EXERCISE OF THE FRANCHISE" TUESDAY.

EISENHOWER WAS ACCOMPANIED TO WALTER REED BY HIS SON AND HAGERTY.

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A54 WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C. HAGERTY SAID HE COULD NOT DISCUSS DETAILS OF THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO BULGANIN EXCEPT WITH THE AGREEMENT OF BOTH GOVERNMENTS.

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THIS COUNTRY SHARPLY PROTESTED BULGANIN'S VRECENT PUBLICATION BEFORE DELIVERY OF HIS MESSAGE TO EISENHOWER ON THE QUESTION OF BANNING HYDROGEN BOMB TESTS. V

SIMILARLY, HAGERTY DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER ANY NEW MOVES ARE PLANNED BY THIS COUNTRY VIN THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS IN ADDITION TO THE TWO RESOLUTIONS LAID BEFORE THE U. N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY LATE YESTERDAY.

THE PRESS SECRETARY SAID EISENHOWER WOULD BE IN TOUCH BY TELEPHONE WITH HENRY CABOT LODGE JR., CHIEF U. S. DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, AT THE EMERGENCY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY STARTING THIS AFTERNOON.

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HOOVER WAS SITTING IN FOR SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES, WHO ENTERED
A171 WALTER REED ARMY HOSPITAL EARLIER TODAY WITH WHAT WAS DIAGNOSED
TENTATIVELY AS APPENDICITIS.
PENDING THE NEW ANNOUNCEMENT (ABOUT 2 P.M.EST), THERE WAS NO WHITE
HOUSE COMMENT ON MIDDLE EAST DEVELOPMENTS, INCLUDING THE BRITISH-
FRENCH REJECTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS CEASE-FIRE PROPOSAL.
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ON LEAVING THE WHITE HOUSE YESTERDAY, DULLES TOLD REPORTERS NEW
A140 MOVES ON THE MIDDLE EAST SITUATION WERE UNDER CONSIDERATION. HE
DECLINED TO SPECIFY THE POSSIBLE ACTIONS.
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EISENHOWER, IN A SEPARATE STATEMENT, PRAISED SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES WHO, HE SAID, "HAS DEVOTED HIMSELF UNSELFISHLY TO HIS COMPLICATED AND STRENUOUS DUTIES--EVEN, AS IT IS NOW APPARENT, AT THE RISK OF HIS OWN HEALTH."
AT ALMOST THE SAME MOMENT, THE STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED THAT PRELIMINARY LABORATORYT TESTS HAD SHOWN THAT THE SECTION OF THE LARGE INTESTINE REMOVED FROM DULLES YESTERDAY WAS CANCEROUS.
EISENHOWER SAID OF DULLES:
"HE HAS GIVEN UNTIRINGLY OF HIMSELF TO THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE BASED ON JUSTICE, AND AS SUCH IS MY INVALUABLE ASSOCIATE.
"UNTIL HE CAN RESUME HIS FULL DUTIES, THE SPLENDID STATE DEPARTMENT STAFF, HEADED BY HERBERT HOOVER JR.--THAT THE SECRETARY HAS DEVELOPED--WILL OPERATE IN HIS STEAD. IN DOING SO, THEY, AND I, WILL CONSTANTLY HAVE THE ADVANTAGES OF HIS EXPERIENCE, WISDOM AND COURAGEOUS SPIRIT."
EISENHOWER MET IN HIS OFFICE WITH HOOVER, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY HEAD ALLEN DULLES, AND A GROUP OF OTHER KEY OFFICIALS AFTER GOING TO CHURCH WITH HIS FAMILY AND VISITING DULLES IN THE HOSPITAL.
HAGERTY SAID THE PRESIDENT'S TALK WITH THE SECRETARY WAS "NOT JUST SOCIAL" BUT THAT "BUSINESS MATTERS" WERE DISCUSSED.

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THE PRESS SECRETARY SAID EISENHOWER DID NOT TELL DULLES ABOUT THE SOVIET ATTACK ON HUNGARY. BUT HE ADDED THAT DULLES HAD BEEN IN TOUCH WITH HIS OWN OFFICE SINCE EARLY MORNING.
HAGERTY SAID IT WOULD BE "PRESUMPTUOUS OF ME TO COMMENT" ON POSSIBLE MIDDLE EAST MOVES BEFORE U. N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG JAMMARSKJOLD HAS A CHANCE TO FILE THE RECO

SIBLE MIDDLE EAST MOVES BEFORE U. N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD HAS A CHANCE TO FILE THE RECOMMENDATIONS REQUESTED OF HIM BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY EARLY TODAY.
HAGERTY SAID, IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, "THERE MAY BE NEW MOVES IN CONNECTION WITH HUNGARY" BY THE U. S. GOVERNMENT. BUT HE SAID U. S. POLICY IN THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS WOULD BE TO CONTINUE ACTIONS ALREADY UNDER WAY.
THERE WAS NO WHITE HOUSE COMMENT ON DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE ADLAI E. STEVENSON'S MESSAGE LAST NIGHT URGING EISENHOWER TO ASK THE U. N. TO SEND OBSERVER TEAMS INTO HUNGARY AND PERHAPS OTHER EASTERN EUROPEAN SATELLITES.
HAGERTY DECLINED COMMENT ALSO ON STATEMENTS BY STEVENSON THAT, FOR A YEAR, HE HAS BEEN URGING THE USE IN THE MIDDLE EAST OF U. N. PATROLS TO KEEP THE ARAB AND ISRAELI FORCES SEPARATED.
THE EXTRAORDINARY WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE LASTED 75 MINUTES. STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS PRESENT AT ONE TIME OR ANOTHER, HAGERTY SAID, INCLUDED DEP. UNDER SECRETARY ROBERT MURPHY, LEGAL ADVISER HERMAN PHLEGER, AND COUNSELOR DOUGLAS MACARTHUR III.
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A14 WHILE DULLES WAS STILL WITH THE PRESIDENT, HAGERTY ANNOUNCED THAT EISENHOWER WAS OFFERING 20 MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF FOOD AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES FOR RELIEF PURPOSES IN REVOLT-TORN HUNGARY.

THE OFFER INCLUDED SURPLUS U. S. FOODSTUFFS WORTH 15 MILLIONS, WITH THE REMAINDER IN FATS, OILS AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES.

EFFORTS WILL BE DIRECTED TOWARD MAKING THE SUPPLIES AVAILABLE IN TIME FOR RELIEF OF THE SUFFERING EXPECTED WITH THE ONSLAUGHT OF WINTER WEATHER. HAGERTY SAID DETAILS OF THNLKJAQQIV

TIME FOR RELIEF OF THE SUFFERING EXPECTED WITH THE ONSLAUGHT OF WINTER WEATHER. HAGERTY SAID DETAILS OF THE DISTRIBUTION WOULD BE WORKED OUT AFTER HUNGARY REPLIES.

MEANTIME, THOUGH EISENHOWER STOOD BY HIS ANNOUNCED DECISION TO MAKE NO MORE POLITICAL TALKS, THE WHITE HOUSE CONTINUED TO BE A FOCAL POINT IN THE CAMPAIGN FOR HIS RE-ELECTION.

WHITE HOUSE AIDES, HAGERTY DISCLOSED, HELPED ASSEMBLE MATERIAL FOR VICE PRESIDENT NIXON'S SPEECH IN HERSHEY, PA., LAST NIGHT REPLYING TO ADLAI STEVENSON'S CHARGE THAT THE EISENHOWER MIDDLE EASTERN POLICY HAD PRODUCED "A COMPLETE AND CATASTROPHIC FAILURE."

NIXON COUNTERED THAT THE 64-5 VOTE BY WHICH THE U. N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY ENDORSED A U. S. CEASE-FIRE RESOLUTION WAS "A WORLD-WIDE VOTE OF CONFIDENCE THE LIKE OF WHICH HAS NEVER BEEN KNOWN BEFORE."

THE WHITE HOUSE ALSO HAD BECOME A SOUNDING BOARD FOR A VARIETY OF "REPORTS" TO EISENHOWER FROM CABINET OFFICERS, PRESENTING THEIR APPRAISAL OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S PERFORMANCE IN THEIR FIELDS.

YESTERDAY SECRETARY OF LABOR MITCHELL SENT EISENHOWER A LETTER TELLING THE PRESIDENT THAT LIVING COSTS HAVE RISEN ONLY 2.8 PER CENT DURING HIS TERM IN OFFICE.

THE PRESIDENT PRESUMABLY KNEW THIS, SINCE HE MADE THE SAME POINT IN A STATEMENT ISSUED LAST WEEK WHEN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX REACHED A RECORD HIGH. BUT MITCHELL SAID HE "WISHED TO CORRECT A GOOD MANY MISSTATEMENTS" MADE BY THE OPPOSITION.

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MITCHELL ADDED THAT FOOD PRICES STAND AT THE SAME AVERAGE LEVEL AS WHEN THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION TOOK OFFICE IN JANUARY 1953, DESPITE WHAT HE SAID WAS AN OPPOSITION CLAIM THAT "FOOD PRICES HAVE BEEN GOING UP" UNDER THIS ADMINISTRATION.

SECRETARY OF WELFARE FOLSOM SENT THE PRESIDENT A REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION'S ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE, IN ORDER, HE SAID, TO DISPEL A "MIST OF POLITICAL FICTION" SPREAD BY "THE OPPOSITION CANDIDATE."

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SECOND LEAD EISENHOWER
WASHINGTON, NOV. 3 (AP)-THE WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCED TODAY THE UNITED STATES WILL FILE TWO NEW RESOLUTIONS WITH THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY AIMED AT ESTABLISHING "PERMANENT PEACE" BETWEEN ISRAEL AND ITS ARAB NEIGHBORS AND ALSO WORKING OUT "PERMANENT ARRANGEMENTS" FOR CONTINUED OPERATION OF THE SUEZ CANAL.
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WASHINGTON -- 1ST ADD SECOND LEAD EISENHOWER (A23WX) X X X SUEZ CANAL.
PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S PRESS SECRETARY, JAMES C. HAGERTY, SAID THE RESOLUTIONS WOULD BE PRESENTED LATER TODAY (4 P.M. (EST) BY HENRY CABOT LODGE JR., HEAD OF THE U.S. DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS.
HAGERTY SAID A STATEMENT BE MADE TO NEWSMEN ANNOUNCING THE NEW ACTION HAD THE "FULL APPROVAL" OF THE PRESIDENT AND CAME "AS A RESULT OF MEETINGS IN THE WHITE HOUSE THIS MORNING AND TALKS BY TELEPHONE" WITH SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES.

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EISENHOWER TALKED WITH DULLES BY PHONE TODAY BEFORE THE SECRETARY WAS OPERATED ON AT WALTER REED ARMY HOSPITAL FOR APPARENT ACUTE APPENDICITIS.
THE WHITE HOUSE DECLINED TO GIVE DETAILS OF THE NEW RESOLUTIONS BEFORE LODGE FILED THEM WITH U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD.
HAGERTY'S STATEMENT AGAIN CALLED ON ALL PARTIES INVOLVED IN THE HOSTILITIES TO CEASE FIRING IN THE LIGHT OF A U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY VOTE YESTERDAY URGING AN IMMEDIATE CEASE FIRE.
"IT IS THE EARNEST HOPE OF THE UNITED STATES" THE STATEMENT SAID, "THAT ALL PARTIES TO THIS CONFLICT WILL BE GUIDED BY THIS CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE OF WORLD OPINION."

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THE U.N. VOTE WAS 64-5.
HAGERTY SAID THE TWO RESOLUTIONS "DEAL WITH THE NECESSITY OF SEEKING PERMANENTLY SOLUTIONS TO BASIC PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE GIVEN RISE TO THE PRESENT CONFLICT."
HE ADDED:
"THE FIRST RESOLUTION WILL PROPOSE A NEW APPROACH TO THE SETTLEMENT OF MAJOR PROBLEMS OUTSTANDING BETWEEN THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL WITH A VIEW TO ESTABLISHING CONDITIONS OF PERMANENT PEACE AND STABILITY IN THE AREA."
"THE SECOND RESOLUTION," HE SAID, "WILL DEAL WITH MEANS OF FINDING A SOLUTION TO THE SUEZ CANAL CONTROVERSY. IT WILL SEEK THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE OPENING OF THE CANAL AND THE WORKING OUT OF PERMANENT ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FUNCTIONING OF THE CANAL."

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HAGERTY HAD ANNOUNCED EARLIER TODAY HE WOULD HAVE A STATEMENT AFTER EISENHOWER MET WITH UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE HERBERT HOOVER JR. AND STATE DEPARTMENT COUNSELOR HERMAN PHLEGER.
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(150) WASHINGTON -- 1ST ADD IKE-U.N. (A150) X X X AFTERNOON.

TWO CONGRESS MEMBERS, REPS. HUGH SCOTT (R-PA) AND LAWRENCE CURTIS (R-MASS), CALLED AT THE WHITE HOUSE TODAY, AND SAID THEY HAD SUGGESTED THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER PERSONALLY ADDRESS THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON THE THEME OF PEACEFUL APPROACHES TO SETTLEMENT OF THE MIDDLE EASTERN CRISIS.

THE CONGRESS MEMBERS DID NOT SEE EISENHOWER, BUT TALKED WITH PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT SHERMAN ADAMS. THEY TOLD REPORTERS THEY WERE ASSURED THE IDEA WOULD "RECEIVE CONSIDERATION."

SCOTT AND ADAMS SAID THEY RECOMMENDED ALSO THAT THIS COUNTRY "NOT SINGLE OUT LITTLE ISRAEL FOR ECONOMIC SANCTIONS THAT ARE NOT EQUALLY APPLIED TO BRITAIN AND TO FRANCE."

THEY SAID THEY FOUND "REAL SYMPATHY" FOR THAT ATTITUDE.

"IF I WERE A BOOKIE I WOULD GIVE RATHER GOOD ODDS THAT AID TO ISRAEL WILL NOT BE SUSPENDED," SCOTT SAID.

THE CONGRESSMEN SAID THEY ALSO URGED THAT THIS COUNTRY STRIVE FOR INCLUSION IN ANY GENERAL SETTLEMENT NEGOTIATIONS OF THE ISSUE OF THE LONG-STANDING EGYPTIAN BLOCKADE OF ISRAELI SHIPPING FROM USE OF THE SUEZ CANAL.

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WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY JAMES C.HAGERTY GAVE REPORTERS THE ONE
Also WORD DESCRIPTION OF EISENHOWER'S REACTION.
A REPORTER ASKED WHETHER EISENHOWER WAS "VERY GRATIFIED" AND HAGERTY REPEATED: "GRATIFIED."
SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES FLEW TO THE U.N. SESSION YESTERDAY AND PERSONALLY PRESENTED THE CEASEFIRE RESOLUTION.
THE WHITE HOUSE SAID HE WOULD RETURN HERE ABOUT 1:30 P.M.EST TODAY AND CONFER WITH EISENHOWER LATER IN THE AFTERNOON.

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(210) FIRST LEAD IKE-U.N.
WASHINGTON, NOV. 2 (AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES TODAY DISCUSSED WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER FOR AN HOUR HOW THE UNITED NATIONS MIGHT "FOLLOW-UP" ITS RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A CEASE-FIRE IN EGYPT.
DULLES, BUTTONHOLED BY REPORTERS AS HE LEFT THE WHITE HOUSE, SAID HE PLANNED TO TALK WITH U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD BUT ADDED, "I CAN'T GO INTO ANY DETAIL."
ASKED ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF EISENHOWER GOING PERSONALLY BEFORE THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO OUTLINE APPROACHES TO A SETTLEMENT, DULLES ANSWERED: "I DON'T THINK SO."
THE SECRETARY BRUSHED OFF REPORTS THAT RUSSIAN TROOPS WERE MOVING INTO HUNGARY WITH THE REPLY:
"I GET REPORTS OFF AND ON, SOME ONE WAY AND SOME ANOTHER. I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON THERE."
DULLES SAID HE AND EISENHOWER HAD DISCUSSED THE ALLOCATION OF 20 MILLION DOLLARS IN FOOD AND RELIEF SUPPLIES TO HUNGARY, WHICH WAS ANNOUNCED SHORTLY BEFORE DULLES LEFT THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE AS WELL AS "FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS THAT ARE POSSIBLE" IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
ASKED TO SPECIFY WHAT THE DEVELOPMENTS MIGHT BE, THE SECRETARY SAID:
"I THINK THERE WILL HAVE TO BE SOME FOLLOW UP OF THIS RESOLUTION, BUT I CAN'T GO INTO ANY DETAIL."
EARLIER, EISENHOWER WAS DESCRIBED AS "GRATIFIED" BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S ACTION ON THE EGYPTIAN CRISIS.
WHITE HOUSE, ETC., 2ND GRAF, A150
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